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DISCOVERY AT THE BAMBERGER HOUSE.

Grave in the Stable Yard That Shows Evidence of Having Been Recently Disturbed.

WISPS OF WOMAN'S HAIR HAVE BEEN FOUND BY THE SEARCHERS.

Excavation Exactly the Size of a Grave and the Discovery Bears Out the Nurses' Statements.

Human hair and other evidences that a body had been buried there was found in the cellar under the Bamberger stable, 919 Chouteau avenue, Wednesday afternoon.

The hair was found in an old excavation, evidently filled in since originally made, in the northwest corner of the cellar, and directly under the spot where Lizzie Rieger said the body of Lydia Bressert was buried.

The hair found will be sufficient for identification by the relatives of the dead girl.

The wisps of hair are long. They were attached to clods of earth thrown up by the diggers. The diggers, who have had wide experience in exhuming bodies, declared that as soon as they had dug a few inches into the spot indicated by Lizzie Rieger that the place was an old excavation, recently filled in.

The earth was soft and covering a space about the size of an ordinary grave. It was of a different strata from the earth about it.

At a depth of less than a foot wisps of hair were found. The odor that emanated from the hole convinced the diggers that remains had been buried there.

There were strong traces of lime and debris, such as tin cans. It will be remembered that Lizzie and the other witnesses testified that the body was buried in lime and other chemicals, to bring about rapid destruction.

The discovery of the hair is regarded by the detectives as positive evidence that a body was buried beneath the stable.

Up to the time this edition went to press (3 o'clock), the diggers had not reached the bottom of the old excavation.

Lizzie Rieger stated several times since she testified before the grandjury that she believed the body had been removed since it was buried in the cellar.

Lydia Bressert died in September, 1897. The cement floor was put in the Bamberger cellar in August, 1899. This floor has not been tampered with until the searchers cut through it Tuesday. If the body was removed it was taken up prior to August, 1899. It is possible that it was not removed.

No human bones had been found in the Bamberger cellar up to noon Wednesday. Lizzie Rieger, the chief witness against the midwife, was taken to the cellar under Circuit Attorney Eggers' instructions and pointed out the spot where she believed the body of Lydia Bressert was buried.

Relatives of Ida Zimmerman called on Lizzie Rieger, Mary Haar and Katie Bleckinger continues to increase.

Evidence corroborating the testimony of Mr. Eggers Wednesday and laid before him facts which they think should bring about the prosecution of the man who it is said was responsible for Ida's going to the Bamberger house. They could not show, however, that she went to Mrs. Bamberger's house.

Henry Gericke, an uncle of Ida Zimmerman, living at Marine, Ill., stated that to the best of his knowledge Ida started for St. Louis for medical treatment from Springfield, Ill., in February, 1896.

As stated in the Tuesday Post-Dispatch Ida departed from Springfield in February. Soon after this her relatives at Marine became worried about her absence and made inquiries. Mr. L. A. Richardson of Marine was employed to investigate Ida's disappearance. Mr. Richardson interviewed a young man of Marine who had been engaged to marry Ida. This man stated that he knew where Ida was and that she could be reached in three hours' ride from Marine. The town is about 40 miles from St. Louis.

This man declined to tell where Ida was. The relatives taxed him with responsibility for her absence. He became belligerent and threatened to thrash the aged uncle who is now in St. Louis.

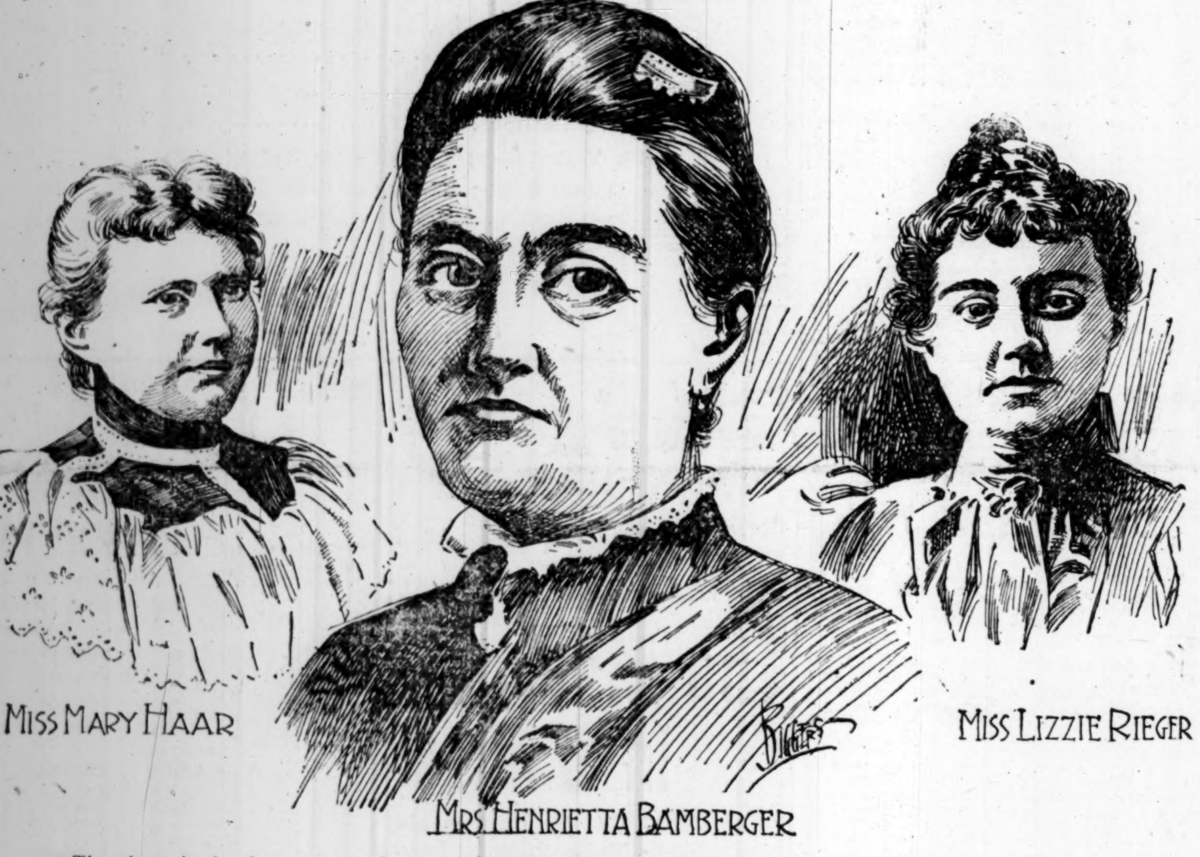
Mrs. Henry Gericke, an aunt, stated to Mr. Richardson that Ida was ill when she left Marine to go to Springfield and that her departure from there was for the purpose of receiving medical treatment.

The search for the remains of Lydia Bressert, who Lizzie Rieger claims was buried in the cellar of the Bamberger stable, at 919 Chouteau avenue, was renewed Wednesday morning. The laborers from the Poorhouse did not begin work before 9 o'clock and quit for lunch before 12. In that time probably one-fourth of the surface of the stable was dug into.

At 11 o'clock Lizzie Rieger and Detective Harrington arrived. Lizzie descended the rickety steps that lead to the stable cellar. She had not been there since that morning two years ago, when in the gloomy basement she saw the ropes and evidences of a newly made grave. Without a moment's hesitation she pointed to a spot near the steps in the southeast corner and said: "The grave is there. Here at my feet was the place where we stuck the rod. It came up covered with lime and a sticky substance. Over next to the wall I saw the rope ends sticking out."

The detectives gathered around the spot. The workmen began to dig. Cement and bricks were thrown out. Next, two feet below the surface, planking was uncovered. A space about the size of a grave was covered by these planks; a few bones were thrown out; the men were thoroughly aroused.

Detective Lally attached great significance to one of the bones uncovered yesterday. This bone was probably four inches long and apparently belonged to a human skeleton. A newspaper man submitted it to Dr. W. B. Outten of the Missouri Pacific Hospital. He pronounced it a small, or floating rib of a dog.



The above is the first correct picture of Mrs. Henrietta Bamberger published by any St. Louis newspaper and the first pictures of the accusing witnesses. The former picture of Mrs. Bamberger presented by the Post-Dispatch was from a rough sketch made by a Post-Dispatch artist, who caught a fleeting glance of the prisoner at Four Courts. The picture of Mrs. Bamberger presented above was sketched Tuesday afternoon from a crayon portrait of the woman which hangs on the wall at 919 Chouteau avenue. The pictures of the witnesses were sketched from photographs, one taken by Hammer and the other by Gross.

Wednesday's Developments.

An excavation has been discovered in the Bamberger house, 919 Chouteau avenue. It has been pronounced a grave and human hair has been found therein.

No human bones have been found in the cellar stable.

Relatives of Ida Zimmerman have arrived from Marine, Ill., to assist in prosecuting the case.

A dispatch from Kansas City throws light on the disappearance of Mary Holtkamp.

AS TO MARY HOLTKAMP.

A Relative Who Searched for the Girl Tells of Her Disappearance.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 22.—T. V. Campbell, a roofer living at 1523 Garfield avenue, is a brother-in-law of the husband of Mary Holtcamp's sister. The sister, Mrs. Wright, lives between Kansas

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SISTER VS. BROTHER.

Mrs. Lohrmann Accuses Paul Ritter of Murder.

DRAMATIC FOUR COURTS SCENE

SEQUEL TO THE POST-DISPATCH'S EXCLUSIVE STORY.

New Features in the Anna Wiess Case—Mrs. Lohrmann Declares She Was Bribed Last Night With $226.

Another investigation of the Anna Wiess murder mystery has been begun by the police. This investigation is a result of the publication by the Post-Dispatch on last Thursday of the statements of Mrs. Eleanor Lohrmann and Edward Kirk.

Mrs. Lohrmann and her brother, Paul Ritter of Nauvoo, Ill., were brought together in the office of Chief of Detectives Desmond Tuesday afternoon. In the presence of the Chief and others Mrs. Lohrmann charged her brother with the murder of Anna Wiess. She reiterated her former statements and went over the story of the murder again and again.

Within an hour after Mrs. Lohrmann was permitted to leave police headquarters she was given $226 to leave town, she declares.

Her statement as to the bribery is corroborated in part by witnesses whom the police do not impeach.

She was approached by a man whom she does not know immediately after she left the Four Courts, who made an appointment to meet her at Seventh street and Allen avenue at 7:30 o'clock.

She kept the appointment, and, she declares, the man gave her $226 after exacting a promise from her that she would leave town immediately.

Mrs. Louisa Shubert, in whose house Mrs. Lohrmann lives, substantiates Mrs. Lohrmann's statement about meeting the man just outside of the Four Courts. She substantiates the statement further in that she saw Mrs. Lohrmann go out from the house, armed to protect herself, to keep the appointment and saw her return with the money.

Mrs. Shubert's children saw Mrs. Lohrmann go out to meet the man. The youngsters cried and begged her not to go, fearing that because she had a revolver she was going to commit suicide.

Mrs. Lohrmann showed the money to the Post-Dispatch Wednesday morning. She guided a Post-Dispatch reporter to the spot where she says she met the stranger who gave her the money. Before doing this she described the locality exactly, even to the location of the telegraph pole, near which she says they stood.

The money is in bills of four denominations. It has the appearance of having been in a wallet some time. The bills are not creased. All are straight, and all seem to have been together some time.

In the presence of Chief Desmond Paul Ritter denied the statements of his sister. He declared that he had no connection with the murder of Anna Wiess. He declared that he had never seen Anna Wiess, never heard of her until accused by his sister, and positively stated that he was not in St. Louis at the time of the Anna Wiess murder.

But Paul Ritter could not tell where he was in June, 1889, when Anna Wiess was murdered.

He displayed letters by the dozen from prominent citizens of Nauvoo, testifying to his good character. But he did not display anything in the nature of an alibi.

He admitted that he was a boarder in his sister's house in St. Louis at one time. He declared that was in 1892. He admitted that he left the city at the solicitation of John Dorn, a saloon keeper, who Mrs. Lohrmann declares induced him to leave St. Louis two days after the Anna Wiess murder.

Ritter produced his father's will. He declared that Mrs. Lohrmann was cut off with $5 because she once knocked the

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WOULD BE NICE FOR THANKSGIVING!

IS SHE HELD FOR RANSOM?

Strange Features of Belle Harrison's Disappearance.

NO TRACE OF HER YET FOUND.

MYSTERIOUS MR. "MARKS" AND A MYSTERIOUS MESSAGE.

Made an Appointment With Friends of the Missing Woman Over the 'Phone and Led Them Away.

Shortly before noon Wednesday relatives of Mrs. Belle Harrison, who disappeared Monday, started in search of her under the guidance of a private detective, who claimed to have seen her at Eighteenth and Olive streets Monday night. This man says his name is Marks. He receives his callers at Room 915, Union Trust building, though he has no deskroom there. He made an appointment with Mrs. Harrison's brother and brother-in-law by telephone Tuesday night.

When they appeared Marks told them nothing, but bade them follow him. When they left the building their destination was known only to Marks.

Charles R. Hitchcock, who also intended to keep the engagement, arrived at the building, but was too late to join the party.

Mr. Hitchcock denies that he is engaged to marry Mrs. Harrison, as stated by her mother Tuesday, though he says he will leave nothing undone to locate her.

At the Union Trust building little is known of Marks. He keep appointments in an office adjoining that of ex-Gov. William J. Stone.

The relatives of Mrs. Belle Harrison, who disappeared from her home at 4300 West Belle Place Monday, believe she is being held for ransom.

They think she has been taken away and is being confined in some out of the way place, in the hope that money will be paid for her release.

Mrs. Harrison's case now seems to be without parallel in St. Louis history. Young girls have been spirited away for other motives than robbery and afterwards detained for financial reward, but never before has such a crime had for its object a woman of mature years, wide experience and more than ordinary intelligence. When it is remembered that if there was an abduction it must have been executed on a busy street in daylight the mystery of it all is deepened and made more difficult to unravel.

If Mrs. Harrison were temporarily mentally unbalanced and were wandering about the streets it would be impossible that she should have escaped the notice of the police or of some private citizen who would interest himself in finding out who she was and where she lived.

She has been away from home 48 hours. Her mind was bright and active when she left and must have been so for five hours afterward. She went down town to visit certain places and transact certain business. She went to nearly every place she intended to visit. She made a payment at the office of the Fidelity Brokerage Co. at 912½ Olive street. From there she was traced to Penny & Gentle's dry goods store and about 3 o'clock she was at Biederman's furniture store on Franklin avenue, where she ordered and paid for some household goods. She was alone when she visited these places.

She had nearly $100 when she left home. As far as she had been traced it was learned that she spent about $25 on her shopping tour. From the furniture store there is absolutely no trace of the woman or her money.

She seems to have been careful enough to avoid displaying the contents of her purse. At the Fidelity Brokerage Co's office she had removed the exact amount of her payment from her pocket book before entering. At other places she is said to have been equally cautious. The purse, however, she carried in her hand.

Members of Mrs. Harrison's family believe she was first waylaid for the purpose of robbery and that the robbers finding that the amount of money she carried was large and that she was a woman above the ordinary in refinement and social position,

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GOLCONDA'S NOTABLE WEDDING

The Groom, James Peterson Smith of Paducah, Charters a Steamer for His Guests.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PADUCAH, Ky., Nov. 22.—Mr. James Peterson Smith, accompanied by 25 prominent society people of Paducah, left this morning for Golconda, Ill., where his marriage to Miss Helen Rose, daughter of Mr. James A. Rose, Secretary of State of Illinois, will take place at 8 o'clock to-night in the Presbyterian Church. The party left here on the steamer Edgar Cherry, which was chartered by Smith for the occasion. The bridal tour will include Cuba and all of the Southern cities. Mr. Smith is one of the wealthiest men in the city.

Mr. Peter F. Nay of Collinsville, Ill., and Miss Josephine Elleridge of Clinton, Tenn., met here last night by appointment and were married.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

PROBABLY SHOWERS.

St. Louis and vicinity—Probably showers Wednesday night and Thursday.

Missouri—Partly cloudy with showers Wednesday night and possibly north portion Thursday.

Illinois—Showers Wednesday night and probably Thursday.

Here and Elsewhere at 7 a. m.

St. Louis	56	Kansas City	54
New York	42	Little Rock	58
Chicago	48	New Orleans	70
Cincinnati	52	Pittsburg	54
Cleveland	50	St. Paul	32
Denver	30	Vicksburg	64
Galveston	64	Washington	46
Indianapolis	52		

BOERS' QUICK MARCHES PUZZLE THE BRITISH.

They Have Isolated Estcourt, Cut the Railway at Mooi River and Now Threaten Pietermaritzburg.

PRESENT POSITIONS OF THE ARMIES POINT TO AN EARLY ENGAGEMENT.

Notwithstanding the Withdrawal of a Large Force From About Ladysmith, the Siege of the City Is Not Interrupted.

BULLER'S PLANS NOT YET EXECUTED.

LONDON, Nov. 22.—There has, apparently, been no communication with Estcourt, Natal, since noon, Tuesday, and the Boers now control the railroad thence to the Mooi River. A battle in that region cannot long be delayed. The Boers seem to be swarming southward. Large bodies of them are reported all around Estcourt and parties of Boers appear to be threatening Pietermaritzburg. The Boers encamped at Highlands Station are well supplied with artillery and all evidences tend to show that the various Boer forces are being largely increased by accessions from the disaffected Cape burghers. The serious deficiency in cavalry is being felt by the British, who are unable to keep in touch with the mobile Boer forces, whose presence is hardly reported before they are lost sight of, only to reappear at another vital point along the line of communication. Gen. Hildyard's force at Estcourt, aided by the naval guns, can do little but await an attack, until Gen. Clery's column is capable of taking the field.

According to a Cape Town dispatch, Gen. Methuen's division left Orange River and reached Witteputs, half way to Belmont, yesterday, and advices from Orange River to-day show that the Boers occupy Belmont in force and that the neighboring hills are crowded with Boer cannon.

A patrol of lancers which has returned to Orange River came unexpectedly on two Boer camps. Three shrapnel shells burst close to the Lancers, who, however, were unharmed.

The British transport Kildonan Castle, said to be the largest transport in the world, which left Southampton Nov. 4 with 3000 men, their kits, weapons, machine guns, ammunition, balloons, pontoons, wagons, etc., arrived at Cape Town this morning. About 35,000 of Gen. Buller's army corps have now arrived.

The transport Nubia, with the First Battalion of the Scots Guards, has sailed from Cape Town for Durban.

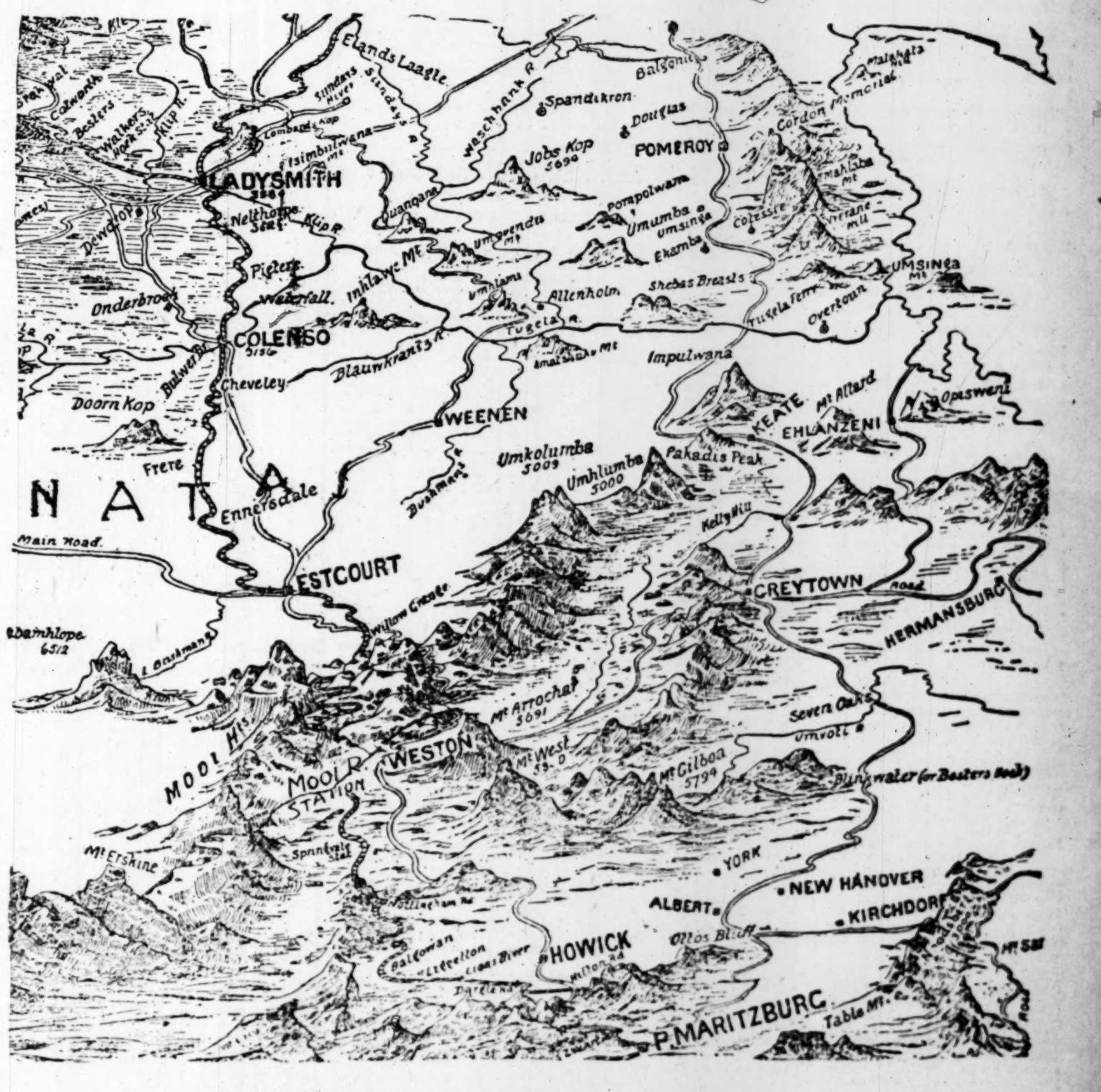
The transport Carinthia arrived at Cape Town yesterday.

Advices from Cape Town say Mr. Collet, the correspondent of the London Daily Graphic, who was arrested by the Boers while conveying a message from Mr. Schreiner, the Premier of Cape Colony, to President Steyn of the Orange Free State, and who was taken to Bloemfontein, has been released and sent back with President Steyn's reply.

Gen. Buller's plans have not yet been put in execution and there are many who believe that the plans as unfolded here, are not Buller's plans. Skeptics assert that the censor would not allow the press dispatches to go through if Kimberley were the real destination of the column, and predict that it will occupy both banks of the Orange River and draw off the Dutch troops from Cape Colony. Other writers in to-day's journals urge that the advance guard has gone too far to support that theory, and that Kimberley may be in greater straits than the public supposes and that Genl. Buller knows that the relief column must march speedily. The censorship in that quarter has evidently been relaxed from some secret motive, which is not readily understood.

It is reported that Mr. Hoffmeyer, the Afrikander leader, has taken an important step in the hope of hastening the close of the war. He is said to have charged Mr. Sauer, the Minister of Public Works, to get in touch with the Free State forces in an endeavor to arrange that the Boers shall apply for an armistice. The ostensible object of Mr. Sauer's trip is to induce his constituents at Aliwal North to remain passive.

The Boer requisitioning of men and supplies proceeds briskly on the northern border of Cape Colony, but Gen. Catacre hopes soon to be in a position to push the Free Staters back within their own borders. The reoccupation of Noauwpoort by the British is the first step in this direction, but strong forces of Boers are



SCENE OF MILITARY MOVEMENTS IN NATAL.

The Boers are reported to be at or near Mooi River, while a British force, preparing to move to the relief of Ladysmith, is at Pietermaritzburg.

A small British force is at Escourt. If the Boers are at Mooi the Estcourt force is isolated and in a position similar to Gen. White's army at Ladysmith.

The Mooi River is a tributary of the Tugela, and crosses the railway near Weston, about 30 miles southeast of Estcourt, and 45 northwest of Pietermaritzburg.

OFF FOR A TRIP.

"All ready to start?"

"Yes; here is my Ivory Soap, that finishes my packing. I always lay in a supply before going on the road. It is one of the comforts a traveling man can carry with him."

IVORY SOAP—IT FLOATS.

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laagered at Colesburg and threaten a further immediate advance from there.

Various officials of the British admiralty have been interviewed by representatives of the Associated Press regarding the London Daily Chronicle's bad beef assertions, and they say they have not received a single complaint as to the quality of food furnished on the transports. The chief of the victualling department said:

"The first we heard of the matter was through the press, and though doubtful of its accuracy we have set on foot inquiries on the subject. The only specific instance mentioned is that of the Nubia. We bought large quantities of provisions in New York, but we have there responsible agents who are not likely to accept rotten meat or meat which has been already refused by other governments. It is understood that the term 'embalmed beef' is applied in the United States to canned meats. We have not bought any of these. Our contracts are confined to beef and pork, packed in casks, commonly known at sea as 'salt horse,' the same as served in all the navies of the world for years past. We have not, so far, heard a word against this form of food, and judging from the health of the men in the United States Navy during the war with Spain, it must have agreed pretty well with them. It is barely possible that our soldiers, who are not accustomed to salt food, are not altogether satisfied with this diet, and are perhaps inclined unofficially to declare it unfit for consumption. We have yet to learn that the provisions purchased in the United States are not all as represented, and though investigating allegations we have no reason to suppose we will discontinue purchasing in the United States when circumstances demand outside resources."

BOERS BLOCK THE RAILWAY

Large Force at Mooi River Cutting Communication Between Estcourt and Maritzburg.

DURBAN, Natal, Nov. 22.—A dispatch from the Mooi River says the telegraph line was cut Tuesday evening near Highlands Station. The railroad station is in possession of a large force of Boers, encamped near Mitcheson's Cut. A train bound to Estcourt returned. It only got a mile and a half northward of the Highlands Station.

The Natal Stud Company's farm has been raided and 300 blooded horses valued at $15,000 have been captured.

AMERICAN WOMEN ARE HUNGRY

They Are Guests of Cecil Rhodes in the Beleaguered City of Kimberley and Seek Relief.

HENDERSON, Ky., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Nancy Huston Banks, the essayist and novelist, formerly of this city, is at present the guest of Cecil Rhodes, in the beleaguered city of Kimberley, South Africa. She is there as correspondent of a London paper, and is in company with Miss Amelia Kussner of New York. All these notables are on starvation rations. Mrs. Banks' father, Judge George Huston, of Morganfield, is on the way to Washington, D. C., to have the department take steps for his daughter's safety. Mrs. Banks in 1893 was one of the prominent members of the World's Fair Board of Lady Commissioners.

BAND CONCERT AT THE ARMORY.

Programme to Be Rendered by Seymour's Organization This Evening.

The following programme will be rendered by Seymour's First Regiment Band at Armory Hall Wednesday night, which has been termed Press Night:

March—Morning Press	Horace Greeley
Overture—Raymond	Ambroise Thomas
Inflamatus from Stabat Mater	Rossini
Cornet solo by Seymour, aided by Prof. Epstein.	
Introduction and Tarrantelle	Rollinson
(a) Song—Sweet Norine	Gussie Davis
(b) Characteristic—Parson Johnson's Chicken Brigade	Lee Johnson
Grand Selection—Il Trovatore	Verdi
(a) March—Marching Home From the War	Small
(b) Comique—Whistling Rufus	Mills
Introduction—Pilgrim's Chorus and Song to the Evening Star, from Tannhauser	Wagner

The objects of these concerts are to perpetuate an organization inaugurated with the recent war and to maintain a band fund for the First Regiment, N. G. M.

Defense in McManigal Case.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., Nov. 22.—The defense today began the introduction of evidence in the J. H. McManigal murder case, for the killing of Capt. T. C. Young. A strenuous effort is being made to show that Young was a dangerous man when drinking and to further show that he was drinking at the time he was killed. The case will go to the jury before Friday or Saturday.

TO CURE LA GRIPPE IN TWO DAYS

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

SEND WOMEN TO SEEK PEACE

Yaquis Chiefs Declare That They Cannot Come in Person Because the White Flag Is Not Recognized.

ORTIZ, Mex., Nov. 21.—The offer of surrender made by the Yaquis, to be presented to President Diaz by the committee of squaws which passed through this city yesterday, is dependent upon the return of the land awarded the Indians under the original treaty of peace.

The squaws said that the Indians would not negotiate for peace through Gen. Torres, owing to the fact that he has killed all Yaqui prisoners who fell into his hands. It was for this reason also that squaws, instead of braves, are chosen for the mission looking to cessation of hostilities. The squaws declare that the Mexican troops are conducting a war of extermination and that flags of truce are not recognized.

ASSAULT ON A REPORTER

William McCarty Brutally Attacked While in the Discharge of His Daily Duties.

While Mr. William McCarty, a reporter for the Post-Dispatch, was engaged in attending to his duties in the Four Courts, Tuesday afernoon, he was brutally assaulted by one "Doc" Sweeney, keeper of a saloon known as "Castle Morro."

The assault occurred in the corridor of the Four Courts leading to the offices of the Police Department. It was unexpected and was wholly unprovoked and unjustifiable. Sweeney first abused Mr. McCarty while he was at work in the press room of the Four Courts Building, in the presence of reporters of the other newspapers. Although his abuse was vicious, Mr. McCarty avoided trouble. Sweeney then waited in the corridor until Mr. McCarty left the press room, and then assaulted him. He knocked him down and attempted to jump on his victim, who kept the assailant off with his feet until the police interfered and prevented Sweeney from doing further injury.

Sweeney is a powerful man, weighing 250 pounds, while McCarty is slender and weighs 125. Several policemen who were in the Four Courts Building to attend a meeting of the Police Board witnessed the assault. Mr. McCarty caused the arrest of Sweeney, who was locked up in the holdover on the charge of disturbing the peace. Later Sweeney gave bond. He was then arrested by Deputy Sheriff Peterson, on a State warrant, charging assault and battery. Bond was again given, with James H. Cronin as surety.

In Police Court Wednesday morning Sweeney asked a jury trial and the case was docketed for Friday.

The more serious charge will be prosecuted in the Court of Criminal Correction on Dec. 6.

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decided to hold her as a hostage until a reward should be offered by her relatives.

At first it was thought she may have gone to visit friends or relatives, especially as the weather was bad Monday night, and she may not have cared to venture home in the rain. This theory was set aside Tuesday. A careful canvass of all her friends in St. Louis was made without result.

It was thought barely possible that she had gone to Harrisburg, Ill., where she has relatives. The Post-Dispatch sent a message to Harrisburg, and received a reply Wednesday, saying that she was not there. Had she left St. Louis Monday or even Tuesday she would have reached Harrisburg by this time.

Mrs. Harrison evidently did not meet with foul play prior to 2 o'clock, when she had a business engagement with Real Estate Agent James R. Timberman. Yet she did not keep that engagement. She was on Franklin avenue an hour later. Neither did she call at another realty office, to pay her rent, as she had originally intended.

These facts lead her family to believe that some time during the afternoon she became mentally confused. Since her disappearance they have recollected an accident which occurred to her a year ago when the lid of an ie chest fell on her head. Up to the time she disappeared the family believed she was entirely free from any evil effets resulting from this injury.

Mystery was added to the already mysterlous case Tuesday night when a man communicated with Mrs. Harrison's brother-in-law over the telephone.

He said he was a private detective named Marks. He stated that he believed he saw Mrs. Harrison on the corner of Eighteenth and Olive streets Monday night. He described the woman he saw minutely and the family was struck with the accuracy of the description. He even mentioned the fact that the woman's nose had been broken. This is true of Mrs. Harrison, but it was not mentioned in any of the descriptions given out. There were other points on which the description was strikingly accurate. Marks made an appointment to meet C. L. von Renthel, the missing woman's brother-in-law, at room 915 Union Trust building at noon Wednesday.

Trailing a Bank Robber.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., Nov. 22.—Sheriff Mudd of Bates County and a Pinkerton detective arrived here this afternoon after John Faulkner, who is believed to have been implicated in the bank robbery at Amsterdam, Bates County, a few nights ago. Yesterday Faulkner was identified as having been at Amsterdam the day of the robbery, and when arrested here last Thursday night, he had in his possession several yards of fuse, such as was used in the Amsterdam robbery, and also an explosive similar to that used there.

WOMAN BATTLES WITH A MAD DOG.

Rare Courage Displayed by a School Teacher.

DROVE HIM FROM THE ROOM.

AFTER HER VALIANT STRUGGLE MISS ROBERTS FAINTED.

The Brute Attacked the Children and Before He Was Driven Off Had Bitten Several of the Little Ones.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DERBY, Conn., Nov. 22.—If little Miss Roberts, teacher of the district school in Seymour, does not get a gold medal for her pluck and bravery it won't be because the farmers that way oppose it. Single-handed and alone she fought a mad dog that broke into the school house in the Bungay District till at length she drove him off. Then she locked the door and swooned.

The afternoon session of the school was on and the 15 youngsters were deep in their studies. Suddenly a great dog burst in at the door, foaming at the mouth and snapping right and left. Shouts of laughter greeted the brute. The little ones took his advent as a joke.

Mirth soon gave place to terror. The dog was stark mad and tore up and down the aisles between the desks, biting at everything. The children dropped their books and rushed for windows and doors. The frenzied brute was too quick for them. Some leaped on their desks, but he followed. Few escaped at least a nip of his dripping fangs.

Little Susie Ridley, 12 years old, was frightfully bitten. Her hands and breast were torn by the dog's teeth and she sank to the floor in a swoon. The doctors say she cannot live.

A younger sister was bitten, too, but not dangerously. Annie Shay, 10 years old, daughter of John Shay, a farmer, was also cruelly torn. There were no men near the little school house; the screams of the little ones brought no help. Only Miss Roberts was there to care for her charges.

She dashed at the beast. She threw books at him and kicked him. After a fierce struggle she drove him from the school house. Then she shut herself and her pupils in and fainted. The children screamed out of the windows till help came. The dog escaped. It has since been learned that the brute had bitten many children in the district.

DISCHARGED FROM THE N. G. M.

Enlisted Men Relieved of Duty in the First Regiment.

By command of Gov. Stephens Adjt.-Gen. Bell issued special orders Wednesday, discharging the following enlisted men of the First Regiment of Infantry, N. G. M., from the service of the State, for reasons given:

Private Charles W. Smith, Company C, interest of the service; Private Fred A. Boozee, Alex M. Clark, Selden Dabney, B. W. Humphrey, Harry M. Jones, M. A. Mitchell, Earl Knutt, Harry O'Brien, Harry Wood and R. M. Stewart, all of Company C, change of residence; Sergt. Firman R. Desloge, Corporal James E. Chambers and Privates William B. Atterbury, William I. Briscoe, William L. Clemens, Bert McKinney, Oscar A. Ellmo and James M. O'Reilly, all of Company C, expiration of service; Corporal William H. Clopton, Company C, commissioned in United States Army; Musician Harry Schmidt and Private Walter Straze of Company E, change of residence; Privates Frank P. Harris, Marcellus P. Hasselle, Oliver E. Hubbell, James J. Keough, Harry E. McCormack, Herman Meyer, Franklin A. Peters, Company E, and Aubrey L. Whetton, Company E, interest of the service; Sergt. Charles J. William, Company E, died November 12, 1898; Private Joseph Wuer, Company E, died July, 1898; Privates Dennis Galvin, P. Graydon, Ernest Heitner, George Hoyte, Fred Kaysing, Lafayette McCarron and Alfred Spink, all of Company E, and Private Joseph Ricks, Company H, interest of the service.

A leave of absence for 60 days from November 1, 1899, is granted Capt. H. Taylor, veteran Company A, unattached infantry.

A PRIEST'S SERIOUS ILLNESS

Rev. Father Thomas O'Donohue Stricken With Typhoid from Attending Typhoid Patients.

Rev. Father Thomas O'Donohue, assistant pastor of the Church of Immaculate Conception, is dangerously ill with typhoid fever at St. John's Hospital.

His devotion to his charge is responsible for his condition. Rev. Gerald D. Power has been absent from the city for some time and the duty of conducting the affairs of the parish have fallen on Father O'Donohue. He has made sick calls and sat beside the beds of typhoid patients.

After celebrating mass Sunday he collapsed. Physicians who were summoned found he had conducted the services while his temperature was 104 degrees. He was removed at once to St. John's Hospital. The disease had progressed so far before he received treatment that little hope of his recovery is entertained.

DESERTED BY HER HUSBAND

Grace Baker Could Not Bear the Disgrace and Committed Suicide Under the Name of Elsie Brown.

Grace Baker, with her heart almost broken because she had been deserted by her husband after a few weeks of married life, took morphine and died at the City Hospital Tuesday, under the name of Elsie Brown.

The body was taken to the morgue and not until Joseph Dousse of 2324 La Salle street, entered the morgue Wednesday and asked if the body of Mrs. Grace Baker was there, did the real identity of the girl become known.

An hour before the father had received a brief note from his daughter, stating that she would soon be dead. She married against the wishes of her parents and when deserted by her husband, she sought peace in death. The father took charge of the body.

WILL BRING BACK THE DEAD

Maine Victims and Remains of Those Who Fell in War to Be Disinterred at Once.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Orders have been issued to-day to the naval authorities at Havana to make immediate arrangefor the shipment to this country of the bodies of the Maine dead. Orders have also been issued by the War Department for the shipment home of the bodies of the dead of the army in the Philippines, in Cuba, Porto Rico and Hawaai. Owing to legal complications, the bodies of the Maine's dead must be removed between Dec. 1 and Feb. 1. There will be a National observance of the second funeral, which will take place at Arlington, Va. The Texas, commanded by Capt. Sigsbee, probably will be used for the transportation of the dead to these shores.

About 1100 American soldiers are now buried in the Philippines, of whom more than 50 per cent have died of disease, and the death rate now, from all causes, will average about twenty-five a week. Bodies not applied for by relatives will be reinterred in a national cemetery nearest the point where the reamins are taken from the returning transport.

HEIR TO A SMALL FORTUNE.

Calvin A. Routledge Will Have an English Estate.

Calvin A. Routledge, a patient at the City Hospital, is said to be heir to a fortune estimated at $100,000. The money, it is alleged, was bequeathed to him by his uncle, Calvin Archibald Routledge, who died in England a few years ago.

The English laws provide that a foreigner cannot claim the estate of a testator until several years after his death. Rather than forego his American citizenship, Routledge says he is willing to wait that length of time.

Routledge is the photographer who was burned in an explosion a few days ago.

IDA ZIMMERMAN.

Picture of one of the women said to have been killed by Mrs. Bamberger. Sketched from a photograph of the girl furnished the Post-Dispatch by her relatives, who live at Marine, Ill.

DISCOVERIES AT THE BAMBERGER HOUSE.

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City and Independence, at the crossing of the Santa Fe and Belt Line tracks.

Campbell was a policeman in Mexico, Mo., when Mary Holtcamp disappeared in the spring of 1896, and he was one of the officers who made search for her in St. Louis and elsewhere. He believes that the mysterious "Jackson" who buried Mary Holtkamp's body and paid the funeral expenses is now living near Mexico, Mo. Holtkamp, Mary's father, according to Campbell, was both farmer and coal miner. He was in poor circumstances, and his daughters had to work out. Mary secured a place at a stock farm in the fall of 1896, and there a certain young man paid her marked attention. Stories began to float about Mexico, and finally Mary's father threatened to kill this young man on sight. Campbell took a hand in trying to prevent trouble. One day Mary rode into Mexico on one of the young man's horses, turned the horse loose, and after telling some of her girl friends good-by, disappeared. Holtcamp went to St. Louis in search of his daughter, but without avail.

Campbell then went to St. Louis, and aided by a detective appointed by Chief Desmond, searched for the missing girl without result. After Mary Holtcamp disappeared the young man referred to above used to disappear for several days at a time. He may have gone to St. Louis to sell cattle, but Campbell intimates that some of those early visits were to see Mary Holtcamp, and that this man can tell a great deal if he will talk.

Campbell says Mrs. Wright knows less about the Holtcamp case than he does. They are interested in the results of Mrs. Bamberger's indictment, but thus far have taken no part in trying to fasten Mary Holtkamp's death on her.

MRS. BAMBERGER AND TEXIER.

Spoeri Case Called and Continued Until Dec. 11.

The cases of John B. Texier and Henrietta Bamberger, manslaughter, were on the docket in Judge Spencer's court Wednesday. They were continued until Dec. 11.

Texier and Mrs. Bamberger are charged with being responsible for the death of Wilhelmina Spoerl, as the result of a criminal operation.

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SISTER VS. BROTHER.

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bungs out of barrels in her father's wine cellar and wasted 10,000 gallons of wine.

Paul Ritter declared that his brother, George, the attorney, was cut off in the will because of a financial transaction that displeased the father, and that he, Paul, was given the bulk of the estate because he had always pleased his father.

Paul further declared that his sister had all but ruined him by her accusations. He declared that he had spent thousands of dollars in the courts, defending suits brought by her for a board bill and to break his father's will.

The examination of Paul Ritter and Mrs. Lohrmann, brother and sister, accused and accuser, occupied three hours.

The situation, a sister accusing her brother to his face and in the presence of the heads of the Police Department, of a murder, was dramatic in itself, but the actors were not dramatic.

Mrs. Lohrmann was sent for early in the day. She arrived at the Four Courts at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, accompanied by Mrs. Schubert and escorted by Special Officer O'Brien from headquarters.

Chief Campbell told her that her brother would be there at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Lohrmann and Mrs. Schubert were kept in the matron's detention room until the brother arrived.

Heretofore the chiefs have always called attention to the fact that Mrs. Lohrmann had never confronted her brother with the accusation. She did this when Paul arrived.

She did not call him murderer, or challenge him to prove his avowed innocence, as folks do on the stage. She merely retold her story as printed in the Post-Dispatch last Thursday.

She said that Paul drove up to her house at 1232 Wash street with Anna Wiess in a buggy at about 8 o'clock on the night of the murder, June 27, 1889, and that he returned with a man in the buggy late that night and took her out into the western suburbs and showed her where a woman lay in the weeds.

She declared that Paul commanded her to get out and see what was the matter with the woman and that she refused to get out of the buggy. She said Paul got out, went over to the woman and returned, making the exclamation: "She is knocked out; I've got to skip."

She said she recognized the picture of Anna Wiess, published in the papers the next day as a likeness of the girl Paul had in the buggy. She repeated that she urged Paul to leave town and that he did so.

The brother frequently interrupted Mrs. Lohrmann's statement with denials. He denied her statements specifically and generally.

The police secured the address of Edward Kirk from Mrs. Lohrmann. Kirk now lives in Chicago. His address is 1521 Wabash avenue. He was employed at the Atlantic Hotel in Chicago up to a few days ago. Kirk lived in the Lohrmann house when the Anna Wiess murder was committed. Kirk's signed statement, charging that Paul Ritter visited the Lohrmann house in a buggy with Anna Wiess was published in the Post-Dispatch.

Kirk is the man who caused the first investigation of Mrs. Lohrmann's story, in December, 1897. Kirk wrote to George Ritter, stating that Paul had given him $5 and that Mrs. Lohrmann implicated Paul in a murder. George Ritter sent this letter, which was signed William Montroy, to the St. Louis police.

Mrs. Lohrmann was arrested at that time and did not accuse Paul to the police. She charged the crime to an ex-convict, Thomas Stockton. Later she made a voluntary statement to the police exonerating Stockton and accusing her brother Paul. In making the second statement she declared that she had not told the truth on the first occasion because of her arrest, and declared that Paul had always told her to accuse Stockton.

Mrs. Lohrmann related the circumstances of the alleged bribe to the Post-Dispatch Wednesday morning.

"A man spoke to me at the southwest corner of Twelfth street and Clark avenue, just after we left the Four Courts," she said.

"'Is this Mrs. Lohrmann?' he asked. I told him I was and he stepped back, indicating that he wished to speak to me out of the hearing of the woman who was with me, Mrs. Shubert.

"I stepped back and he said: 'I want to meet you to-night; will you meet me at Seventh and Allen avenue at the big rock church at half-past 7?'

"I made up my mind in an instant. I wanted to see what was behind it all.

"'Yes, I'll be there,' I said.

"The man said 'Be sure' or 'Be on time,' or something like that, and walked around the corner.

"Mrs. Shubert and I boarded a car and went home. I told Mrs. Shubert what the man wanted and that I was going to meet him.

"I left the house at 20 minutes past 7. I carried a revolver under my cape, ready to use should the man attempt to harm me.

"The corner was dark. There is no electric light there. I saw three men standing in front of a saloon opposite the church. At first I did not see the man with whom I had the appointment. I crossed the street, walked along in front of the church on the Seventh street side and presently I saw him standing about 100 feet from the church. He was leaning against a telegraph pole.

"I walked up to him. 'I have been here several minutes,' he said.

"'I want to know your name before we go any farther,' I said.

"'My name does not make any difference,' he said. 'I want you to leave town. I have got something here for you if you will leave town to-morrow.'

"'What is it?' I asked.

"'You must promise to leave town tomorrow and I will give it to you.'

"I promised and the man thrust something into my hand. I still held the revolver under my cape with the right hand. He pressed the little roll into my left hand and closed my hand over it. I knew that it was money as soon as I felt it.

"'Now, leave to-morrow,' he said, and walked away. He walked north on Seventh street. I started south. I looked back when I reached the corner. He was also looking back. I then began to run. I looked at the roll in my hand when I reached the other side of the street, where it was light, and saw that it was money."

The money displayed by Mrs. Lohrmann consisted of four $20 bills, 12 tens, four fives and three twos.

Mrs. Lohrmann declared that she was perfectly willing to accept the bribe, but would not leave town. She says her conscience does not hurt in the matter of the bribe and that she has need for the money.

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Suspension of Work on the St. Louis Transit Company's Buildings at Park and Vandeventer.

One hundred union men, employed by the St. Louis Transit Co. on two new buildings at Vandeventer and Park avenues, struck Wednesday morning on account of the employment of non-union men.

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DEATHS.

NELSON—Florence Nelson, at her residence, 1808 Tower Grove avenue, dearly beloved daughter of Louisa Nelson and the late Henry Nelson, aged 14 years, 7 months and 22 days.

Funeral at 2 p. m. Thursday, Nov. 23.

STARR—On Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 10:30 p. m., Mary Jane Starr, beloved mother of Mrs. Ida Budde (nee Starr), Louis C. Starr and Mrs. Laura Neeper (nee Starr), aged 67 years and 10 months.

Funeral Thursday, Nov. 23, 1899, at 2 p. m., from residence of her son-in-law, H. H. Budde, 4246A Easton avenue.

New Orleans and Chicago papers please copy.

OBITUARY.

Action of the Faculty of the St. Louis and Missouri Medical College on the death of the Dean, Henry Hodgen Mudd, M. D., Nov. 20, 1899.

In the death of Dr. Henry Hodgen Mudd, Professor of the Practice of Surgery and Clinical Surgery and Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, the Medical Department of Washington University has sustained an irreparable loss.

Born April 27, 1844, at Pittsfield, Pike County, Ill.; educated in the St. Louis Public Schools and in the Academical Department of Washington University; graduated in Medicine at the St. Louis Medical College, 1866; Assistant Physician to the St. Louis City Hospital, 1866-67; Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. A., on duty with the Thirteenth United States Infantry in Montana, 1867-[illegible]; Prosector and Demonstrator of Anatomy, St. Louis Medical College, 1872-83; Professor of Anatomy, 1880-83; Professor of Anatomy and Clinical Surgery, 1883-86; Professor of Surgical Anatomy and Clinical Surgery, 1886-90; Professor of Clinical Surgery and Dean of the Faculty, 1890-99; Professor of the Practice of Surgery and Clinical Surgery and Dean, 1899. Dr. Mudd's term of continuous service as a teacher of Medicine in the St. Louis Medical College, before and after its incorporation with Washington University, and in the St. Louis and Missouri Medical College, now the Medical Department of Washington University, extended over a period of 27 years. He gave his time and his best efforts without stint to his college work; in later years he brought also to the service of the College the matured wisdom and judgment of his riper years, and contributed again and again his financial support and credit during long years of patient effort to elevate the standards of the school to meet ever increasing demands, incident to the provision of better facilities for teaching and the lengthening of the term of medical pupilage. His last great offering to the College was in the devotion of no small part of his remaining strength and life to the consummation of the union of the two oldest medical institutions of the city in the reorganized Medical Department of the Washington University. May it be henceforth the effort of each and every teacher engaged in the work of the school to realize, by individual loyalty to the best ideals and by untiring diligence in the performance of duty the bright hope and confidence which sustained our late leader and co-worker in this, his last contribution, to the cause of medical education which was so dear to him.

Ira D. Sankey.

Ira D. Sankey and Fanny J. Crosby have composed, expressly for the Thanksgiving number of Sunday's Post-Dispatch, Nov. 2 a hymn of thanksgiving. This choice selection can be obtained only with the Post-Dispatch of Sunday, Nov. 2 It's a great treat for Sunday Post-Dispatch readers.

PRESIDENT, CABINET, CONGRESS AND COURT.

All National Officials at Washington Will Attend the Funeral of Vice-President Hobart.

Arrangements For the Ceremonies in Charge of Attorney-General Griggs.

THE PUBLIC LIFE OF HOBART.

HOW AND WHERE HIS IMPRESS HAS BEEN LEFT ON AFFAIRS.

MADE THE PHILIPPINE POLICY.

Notified Alger That His Resignation Was Wanted—Was the President's Confidential Adviser, and the Best Presiding Officer of the Senate.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 22.—Vice-President Hobart's funeral will take place Saturday. The public services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Magie, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer(Presbyterian), and the interment will be in Cedar Lawn Cemetery.

President McKinley and the members of his Cabinet, together with the Judges of the United States Supreme Court and other distinguished officials at Washington, will arrive in Paterson on a special train about noon on Saturday. They will be received at the railroad station by a delegation of officials and prominent citizens of Paterson and places in New Jersey. Attorney-General Griggs, who has charge of the funeral arrangements in behalf of the Government, it is expected, will announce the names of the pall-bearers some time to-day.

Many buildings in the city have been draped with black and during the funeral on Saturday, business will be generally suspended

Several organizations with which Vice-President Hobart was connected, passed appropriate resolutions regarding his death. Among these were the Paterson Savings Institution, Paterson Silk Association and a number of railroad corporations. The Park Commissioners also took similar action and the Freeholders of Passaic County will hold a special meeting to-night for the same purpose.

During the day telegraph messengers frequently arrived at Carroll Hall with messages of condolence to Mrs. Hobart from prominent persons in this and other countries.

Private Secretary Evans did not make public the contents of these messages.

A meeting of the Bar Association of Passaic County was held at the City Hall to-day, and a committee of six was appointed to represent the lawyers of the couty at the funeral. The association passed resolutions of sympathy.

Mrs. Hobart, who had been worn out by her long vigil at the bedside of her late husband, the Vice-President, was feeling so much better to-day that she was able to assist Attorney-General Griggs, her husband's law partner, Albert A. Wilcox, and Private Secretary Evans in the preparation for the funeral of Mr. Hobart Saturday afternoon. The Attorney-General informed the family to-day that President McKinley would attend the funeral.

Regarding Mr. Hobart's wealth, it is reated that shortly after the election of 1896, in reply to questions by friends, he said that he could only give a guess, that he was connected with a great many concerns and a director in over sixty. If his stock could be disposed of for what it was worth, he thought it would bring between two and three million dollars, while, at a sacrifice sale it would not amount to half that. The life insurance policies on Vice-President Hobart's life aggregated about $350,000. One company alone had issued a policy on his life for $100,000.

Attorney-General Griggs told the Associated Press correspondent that President McKinley, the members of the Cabinet and of the United States Supreme Court would leave Washington at 7 o'clock Saturday and return immediately after the funeral. They will attend both services, at the house and at the church.

The body of the Vice-President will not lie in state at the City Hall, but the people will be afforded an opportunity to view the remains at Carroll Hall on Friday afternoon, between 4 and 6 o'clock. Telegrams of condolence were received to-day from Chief Justice Melville W. Fuller, Gen. Horace Porter, United States Ambassador to France; Gen. Muzzey of Paris; Wu Ting Fang, Chinese Minister; Powell Clayton, United States Ambassador to Mexico; Minister Grit of Sweden and Norway; Minister Harris at Vienna; the Oregon Bar Association; Thomas Smith, United States Consul at Moscow; Senators Burrows of Michigan and Lindsay of Kentucky; ex-United States Senator Lee Mantle of Montana; Mrs. Julia Dent Grant and Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, and others.

SIXTH TO DIE IN OFFICE.

Garrett A. Hobart is the sixth Vice-President to die in office. The others were:

George Clinton of New York, who was Vice-President during Jefferson's second Madison's first term; he died in Washington, April 20, 1812.

Elbridge Gerry of Massachusetts, who was Vice-President during Madison's second term; he died in Washington, Nov. 23, 1814.

William Rufus King of Alabama, who was elected in 1852, with Franklin Pierce of New Hampshire; his health failing, he went to Cuba and took the oath of office there—a special act of Congress being passed to enable him to do so. He returned to his home in Alabama and died there the day after his return, April 17, 1853, without having taken his seat at Vice-President.

Henry Wilson of Massachusetts was Vice-President during Grant's second term. He died in Washington, Nov. 22, 1875.

Thomas A. Hendricks, who was elected in 1884 with Grover Cleveland, died in Indianapolis, Nov. 25, 1885.

PRESIDENT AND CABINET.

Arrangements Made for the Hobart Funeral Next Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Vice-President Hobart's funeral on Saturday will be attended by the President and his Cabinet, the Supreme Court, the Senate in a body and a large committee from the House of Representatives, besides many other high dignitaries of the Government who will journey to Patterson to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of the late Vice-President. Every Senator has been invited to be present, and the Senate will meet at the Fifth Avenue Hotel in New York on Saturday at 11 o'clock a. m. and thence travel in a body to Patterson.

Sergeant-at-Arms Bright has engaged a special train to convey the President and his Cabinet and the United tSates Supreme Court to Patterson. The train will leave Washington over the Pennsylvania Railroad at 7 o'clock on Saturday morning, and will arrive on the return at 11 p. m. Chief Justice Fuller was not in the city to-day, and in his absence no one could say whether the court will be able to attend the funeral in a body. But the officials of that tribunal generally expressed themselves as very confident that it would do so.

Owing to the fact that the House of Representatives is without a Speaker, no arrangements with reference to the House committee were made to-day. Gen. Henderson, who will be the next Speaker, telegraphed to Maj. McDowell, the clerk of the House, at his home at Sharon, Pa., and Maj. McDowell is expected here to-night. On his arrival he will consult Gen. Henderson and other Representatives who are in the city and a committee will be appointed to attend the funeral.

From dispatches received by Col. Bright, the sergeant-at-arms of the Senate, it is apparent that there will be a large representation of members of that body at the late Vice-President's funeral. Thirty Senators have replied to the telegram sent at the direction of President Pro Tem. Frye informing them of their selection as members of the committee to attend the funeral.

Twenty-four of them have promised to be present. They are as follows: Gallinger, W. A. Clarke, Foraker, Bacon, McLaurin, Harris, Allison, Fairbanks, Hanna, Hawley, J. K. Jones, Heilfeld, Kyle, Burrows, Wetmore, Lindsay, Wolcott, McComas, Sewall, Tillman, Mason, Scott, Depew and Kenney.

Col. Bright will go to Patterson to tender any assistance he may in the funeral preparations so far as the Senate is concerned.

The diplomatic body in Washington is not to be formally invited to attend the funeral of late Vice-President Hobart, a study of the precedents in such cases being against the invitations. They will receive each a simple note announcing the death of Mr. Hobart. Orders will go out to-day from the Navy Department to the commanding officers of the naval stations at home and abroad to observe the formalities indicating in the President's proclamatoin of yesterday respecting the deceased official.

Pallbearers selected on the part of the Senate are: Senators Sewell, Kean, Frye, Fairbanks, Hanna, McMillan, Cockrell and Daniel.

The House pallbearers will be designated by Mrs. Hobart, and have not yet been named.

The present understanding is that all the members of the United States Supreme Court with the possible exception of Justice White will attend. Mr. White is ill, and probably will be compelled to remain in Washington.

Following is a list of the members of the House selected to attend the funeral:

Representatives Henderson, Joy, Brosius, Livingston, Meyer, Hepburn, Ball, Kleberg, Rixey, Cushman, Barnham, Boutelle, Robinson, Long, Gillett, Morris, Clark, Mercer, Loudenslager, Gardner, Howell, Salmon, Stewart, Parker, Daly, Fowler, Ketcham, McClellan, Bingham, Sibley, Dalzell, Adams, Brownlow, Alexander, White, Robbins, Davis, Burke, Spalding, Benton, Showalter, Clayton and Jones.

Orders have been sent to Gen. Otis in the Philippines and Gen. Brooke in Cuba, and Gen. Davis in Porto Rico, to have flags at all garrisons half masted on Saturday, the day of the funeral of Vice President Hobart.

The casket prepared for the remains of the Vice-President will be of solid English quartered oak, with plain silver trimmings. The following inscription will appear on a silver plate:

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1899.

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Mousse of Pheasants.
Olives Stuffed With Peppers.
Pickled Walnuts.
Pate of Sweetbreads with fresh Mushrooms.
Supreme de Volaille.
Punch a la Cardinal.
Grouse stuffed with Chestnuts.
Crab Salad. Brussels Sprouts.
Roquefort Cheese.
Plombiere Glace. Figs in Syrup.
Babe au Rhum.
Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.
Candied Dates.
Petit Fours Bar le Dus.

The menu is one which Vice-President Hobart partook of last winter in Washington, and one of the 89 which brought about the malady from which he died.

It is accepted as a fact that it was the continual round of dining last winter which undermined Mr. Hobart's constitution. High living and over-eating has killed many a potentate and monarch. It carried off Alexander the Great in the full flush of his career. Augustus Cesar died of it. Henry VIII. died of over-eating, and so did George III. In our day many a man of millions has died similarly. William H. Vanderbilt fell dead of heart disease complicated with kidney trouble; so did ex-Gov. Roswell P. Flower. The annals of Washington official life are filled with the deaths of prominent men who dined unwisely.

HOBART'S IMPRESSION ON THE ADMINISTRATION.

Mr. Hobart determined the administration's policy in the Philippines by casting the deciding vote in the Senate against Senator Bacon's amendment. Oth- [illegible] se it would have pledged the United States to withdraw from the Philip- [illegible] and recognize the Filipino government. The McEnery resolution became [illegible] nd the policy it lays down is now being carried out.

[illegible] notified Secretary Alger that the President desired his resignation.

[illegible] opposed Republicans and kept faith with Democratic Senators, forcing a [illegible] h the army bill.

[illegible] was the President's confidential adviser.

[illegible] made the administration a social success and thereby ate himself to [illegible]

[illegible] was worth $1,500,000 and had enormous life insurance. The Equitable [illegible] lone carried him for $100,000.

[illegible] was president of four corporations and director in 26 others.

[illegible] was not a clubman. His favorite amusement in the evening was play- [illegible] rds and telling or listening to stories.

[illegible] Washington he and Senator Mark Hanna were chums and frequently spent [illegible] evenings together.

HOBART AS A CHAIRMAN.

Peculiarly Fitted for Duties of Presiding Officer.

It was as the Senate's official head that Mr. Hobart most surprised public men at Washington.

While he had long been prominent in the public affairs of New Jersey, he had never been a figure in official Washington, nor had he ever served in Washington, as had nearly every one of his predecessors, and no one looked for any stronger work from him in the Vice-President's chair than had been shown by them. But Garret A. Hobart took up his duties in the Senate chamber in his own virile, efficient way.

First of all, before March 4, 1897, he addressed himself seriously to the study of the history, the traditions and the rules of the Senate. He already possessed an intimate knowledge of parliamentary law, gained when he was in the New Jersey Legislature, first, as member of the Lower House, then as Speaker and later as Senator. When he took up the gavel as presiding officer of the Senate he knew just what to do and exactly how to do it. He had both himself and the Senate well in hand on the first day of the extra session that marked the beginning of the present Administration, and was early seen to be a chairman of strength and decision. Since that session his reputation along these lines grew steadily and more than once his sincerest admirers, even, were surprised and delighted by his clear perception of the philosophy of parliamentary law and his minute knowledge of Senate procedure.

Strangely enough, too, some of the oldest and best known of the Senators are least posted in the technicalities of legislative business. They know how to present their ideas succintly, often eloquently, and they are masters of the art of pleasing the commonwealths they represent, else they could not serve term after term; but they do not understand the ins and out of the Senate rules, and are often bothered with the how and wherefore. These Senators found the Vice-President's unfailing technical knowledge, which was frequently at their disposal, of great value.

One of his daily duties, never neglected, was the careful perusal of the previous day's journel. He had an unusually retentive mind and might reasonably be sure of keeping track of everything were he not to look at the journal at all, but he preferred to refresh his memory every morning and to take nothing for granted.

After the session began he had eyes and ears only for the current proceedings. He kept close watch of all that was going on and of everything that was said; he was never known to lose the thread and be obliged to ask about the previous question, and he enforced the rules. In other words, he looked upon the work of the Senate chairmanship precisely as he regarded keeping a country school years ago. It was rare indeed that he called any one to the chair, and for this reason a newspaper correspondent, out of sympathy with the Vice-President's self-imposed task of listening to many speeches delivered, otherwise chiefly to empty benches, once described Mr. Hobart as the "chronic audience."

The Vice-President saved hours and hours of debate and delay on the tariff bill by his quick perception and comprehensive knowledge. He kept tab on everything.

"Has paragraph 432 been disposed of?" asked Mr. Allison.

"It was disposed of on the 28th," replied the Vice-President instantly.

On another occasion Mr. Hobart knew exactly the date, nearly three weeks previous, upon which another schedule had been acted upon. He remembered who asked postponements of one paragraph or another and could correctly state, in the most concise fashion, any question, no matter how intricate. The most remarkable instance, however, of Mr. Hobart's familiarity with tariff matters was shown in this incident:

"Will the Senator," said Mr. Mills, addressing Senator Quay, "refer me to the particular paragraph about cattle in the present law?"

"Paragraph 373 of the Wilson law," responded the Vice-President, without a moment's hesitation.

By this alertness and information the Vice-President kept the debate as well in hand as any one could do under the rules of the Senate, and showed how a business man's mind could adapt itself to new circumstances with great success.

GOV. ROOSEVELT'S TRIBUTE.

All Flags on New York State Buildings at Half-Mast.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 22.—Gov. Roosevelt issued a proclamation to-day on the death of Vice-President Hobart, ordering that flags on all State buildings be kept at halfmast as a mark of respect until after the funrela services. The Governor says of Mr. Hobart:

"He was a public servant of tried capacity and stainless integrity, who, in his high office, acted an influence for good, the extent of which is best realized by those who had been most intimate with him. New York joins with the rest of the nation in mourning his loss and paying homage to his high character."

THE DEATH OF HENDRICKS.

Law Does Not Provide for Vice-President's Successor.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The death of Vice-President Hobart naturally recalls the death of Vice-President Hendricks, who expired suddenly of paralysis of the heart on Nov. 25, 1885. At the time the question of succession to the presidency had not been settled by law, although Senator Hoar's bill, providing for the Presidential succession through the Cabinet, had been submitted on Dec. 4, 1883, and had remained unacted on.

The news of Mr. Hendricks' death was received in Washington late on the afternoon of Nov. 25. resident Cleveland was at dinner when the news was brought to him by Secretary Lamont. Notices were sent at once to all the members of the Cabinet and a special Cabinet meeting was held that night.

Mr. Cleveland's first act was to dispatch a telegram of condolence to Mrs. Hendricks, after which a proclamation was prepared making an official announcement of the Vice-President's death to the public and establishing a usage which has been followed by President McKinley.

On the morning following Mr. Hendricks' death, meetings of such members of the House and Senate as were in town were held at the capitol, and committees from both legislative branches were appointed to attend the funeral services, which were held in Indianapolis on the Tuesday following. Nineteen members were appointed on the House committee, with the rather unusual number of 13 from the Senate.

President Cleveland at first expressed his intention of attending the funeral, but there was an immediate protest from all his advisers, seconded by the press of both parties, against his subjecting himself to even the slight possibilities of an accident incident to travel at a time when there was no provision for a successor in his office and when his death might have entailed serious consequences.

After some days the President deferred to the advice of his friends and remained in Washington. The Cabinet, however, attended the funeral in a body and the Supreme Court adjourned over until after the service.

Pending the President's decision not to go to Indianapolis, the most elaboroate preparations were made by the railroad officials for the safeguarding of his train in case the journey should be made, special trackwalkers, pilot engines and the like being detailed to insure the safety of the whole route.

Vice-President Hendricks was in Indianapolis at the time of his death, and through a singular set of circumstances no one was in the room when he expired.

The law applicable to the vice-presidency was enacted Jan. 19, 1886, by the Forty-ninth Congress' first session. The main features are as follows:

> Be it enacted, etc., that in case of removal, death, resignation or inability of both the President and Vice-President of the United States, the Secretary of State, or * * * Secretary of the Treasury, or * * * Secretary of War, or * * * Attorney General, or Postmaster General or * * * Secretary of the Navy, or * * * Secretary of the Interior shall act as President until the disability of the President or Vice-President is removed or a President shall be elected.

The law further provides that when one of the above Cabinet officers succeds to the presidency, he shall call a special session of Congress. A proviso limits the succession to those who would be eligible to the presidency under the terms of the constitution and who have been appointed with the advice and consent of the Senate.

The effect of the law is not to provide a succession to the vice presidency, but merely to insure a succession to the presidency.

By the death of Mr. Hobart, Senator William P. Frye of Maine, becomes President pro tempore of the Senate and will discharge all the duties of the Vice-President as presiding officer of that body. The Senate rules specifically provide that no election is necessary at the beginning of the session.

Senator Frye, accordingly, will continue as presiding office till the end of President McKinley's administration, unless he chooses to resign or the President wishes to elect another Senator to the office.

A curious coincidence of the death of Vice President Hobart is found in the fact that of the six vice presidents who have died in office, four died within a few days of the same calendar date—the death of Mr. Hobart occurring on Nov. 21, 1899; that of Mr. Wilson on Nov 22, 1875; that of Elbridge Gerry on Nov. 23, 1814, and that of Mr. Hendricks, Nov. 25, 1885. The other two vice presidents who died in office were Clinton and King. The former died on April 20, 1812, and the latter on April 17, 1853.

HOBARTIANA.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The superstitious of Washington note that the Hobarts moved to an unlucky location. Their house was adjoining the Blaine mansion, and when that edifice of uncanny history was torn down to make way for the Lafayette Theater, the spooks were supposed to have moved next door.

Every householder who has lived in these two houses has suffered misfortune. A late occupant of the Hobart home, Senator Don Cameron of Pennsylvania was defeated in the Senatorial race, when even his opponent thought his election assured.

In this plot the tragedy of the Sickles family occurred. In the shadow of the great tree which shades the present Hobart mansion Philip Scott Keyes fell wounded by the bullet of Daniel Sickles, whose wife he had defiled.

Sitting in the shade of a big elm tree in the great yard of his summer home at Long Branch in July last, Vice-President Hobart related the story of his candidacy and subsequent election to the Vice-Presidency.

"Matt Quay of Pennsylvania first suggested me as a candidate for Vice-President," Mr. Hobart began, "away back in the early spring of 1896 we met on a train.

" 'Hobart, why don't you come out for Vice-President?' he said, 'now I'll tell you what I'll do, if you announce yourself, I can assure you of the solid strength of the Pennsylvania delegation in the convention. Furthermore, I believe we can swing New York to you.'

"I thanked him for his kindness," continued Mr. Hobart, "and said I would let him know my decision after my talk with McKinley. Quay got off somewhere down the road. I continued to Canton, saw McKinley, and came away determined to make the race. I notified Quay immediately. Then I started to get my fellows into line.

"The next meeting between Quay and myself occurred in St. Louis on the 17th of June, 1896, as I remember it. I was ill in my room at the Southern Hotel when Quay came to see me.

" 'Hobart,' said Quay, "you remember my promise made on a railway train early this year?'

"I recalled it vividly. 'Well, Hobart, my friend, I am sorry I won't be able to keep it; there are certain reasons which compel me to place the Pennsylvania vote elsewhere.' "

" 'That's all right, Quay. Go ahead and do as you please with your votes. I want to say to you, however, before you leave this room that I don't need your votes. I'm nominated without them."

"Well, sir," continued Hobart, laughingly. "Do you know this took old Quay clear off his feet. He was almost speechless, dumbfounded, amazed. He had been scheming with Platt to nominate Morton again. Oh, these promises! Beware of the crafty politicians," Mr. Hobart concluded with chuckles.

Hobart was a prince of entertainers. His luxurious home in Lafayette Square was the scene of many brilliant gatherings during the past two winters.

Ambassadors, foreign Ministers, Cabinet officers, Senators and Representatives were his guests almost weekly.

A story was related to the writer by the Vice-President himself of a dinner party given to Wang Tung Fu, the Chinese Minister in Washington. A party of eight or ten Senators had been invited to meet the Minister, and as the evening the Senators, in a fun-loving spirit, started to put the Minister "under the table."

To this end Mr. Hobart's trusted servant, James, was directed to bring on another bottle. Only a part of the last installment had been consumed, and the Minister, still fresh as a Carolina daisy, passed his glass once more. Turning to Mr. Hobart, he proposed a toast to the Senators.

"Here's to the ——" he began, but stopped suddenly when he saw that the room was vacant save for the presence of Mr. Hobart.

Mr. Hobart was smiling. The Minister looked puzzled. Then, with a look of triumph in his eyes, he turned to the Vice-President and said: "Mr. President, where are the Senators?"

But the Senators having had their fill had taken to the tall timber, leaving the Chinaman as sober as a Puritanical judge.

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Two and half yards of same as above, with a dozen napkins to match; regular price, $3.75; THURSDAY, FOR THANKSGIVING...... $2.69

Three yards of same and dozen napkins; regular price $4.25; THURSDAY, FOR THANKSGIVING...... $3.10

Fringed Sets, German Linen, fast color borders, 10-4 cloth and dozen napkins, put up in strong case; regular $3.00 value; THURSDAY, FOR THANKSGIVING $1.49

Hemstitched Set, 10-4 cloth and dozen napkins, SLIGHTLY SOILED, in case; regular price, $4.50; THURSDAY, FOR THANKSGIVING........ $2.98

Hemstitched set Ivory Linen Satin Damask, 2½-yard cloth and dozen Napkins to match, regular price, $6.50; THURSDAY, FOR THANKSGIVING....... $3.98

The 3-yard long cloth and dozen Napkins same as above, regular price, $7.00; THURSDAY, FOR THANKSGIVING........ $5.00

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PEACE DISTURBED BY GOSSIP

Judge Sidener Took an Advanced Position on a Question Never Before in Missouri Courts.

Judge George B. Sidener decided an interesting law point when he found John Weidell guilty of disturbing the peace and assessed a $10 fine. The case was appealed.

The point established by Judge Sidener's decision is that a person's peace can be disturbed by language, even though he be not present and does not himself hear the language.

John Weidell was the defendant. He is employed as a salesman by a wholesale firm on South Broadway. Charles Richter was the complaining witness. Richter is a salesman also, and represents a Chicago firm. It was alleged that Weidell met a person on the street and in speaking of Richter called him names and said things that reflected on his integrity. In the course of two or three hours the person to whom Weidell had directed his remarks went to Richter and repeated them.

Richter obtained a summons and the evidence was laid before Judge Sidener one day last week. He took the case under advisement and Tuesday he handed down his opinion.

Judge Sidener said the question had never arisen in the superior courts of Missouri, but in several other States the higher courts had decided that the alleged disturbance did not need to take place in the presence of the complainant. It had been held that the words in themselves constituted a disturbance.

THE CANNED BEEF WAS BAD.

H. W. Remmert Wants to Prosecute the Grocer Who Sold It.

H. W. Remmert of Twentieth and Montgomery streets applied for a police court summons against a grocer on Sixth street near Market Tuesday afternoon. The application recalled memories of the food supply of the soldiers during the Spanish-American war.

Remmert said he had been a resident of St. Louis more than 40 years. A few days ago he went to his grocers and bought a 10-pound can of canned beef. When the beef was opened it was found unfit for use. Remmert took the beef back, but the grocer refused to give him another can or to refund the price paid for it.

Remmert told City Attorney Perry Post Taylor his story and wanted a summons for a violation of the pure food ordinance. The City Attorney referred Remmert to Assistant City Attorney Dyer, in whose district the transaction is alleged to have occurred.

Stabbed a Texas Detective.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 22.—L. L. Michard, a detective of McKane's agency at Houston, was fatally stabbed last night by a man who stole up behind him and plunged a knife into his back. The assailant escaped.

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Two Little Boys Arrested for Ingenious Petty Larceny.

Frank Hannenkamp and Irwin Taylor, mere children, are prisoners at the Ninth Police District Station, charged with originating a new and ingenious petit larceny act. It is alleged they have been stealing the brass plates that surmounted the electric push buttons that are placed on the doors of residences in the vicinity of Garrison avenue and Morgan street.

Frank Hannenkamp is 14 years old and lives at 2947 Easton avenue. Irwin Taylor is a year younger and lives at Twenty-ninth street and Franklin avenue. They were arrested Tuesday night after they had removed all the push buttons from the doors of the Mozart flats on Morgan street near Ewing avenue. The boys had a number of the brasses in their possession when arrested. They admitted to the police that they had stolen them.

The profits from this mode of larceny are slight and the danger is great, but this did not deter the boys from working vigorously. Equipped with only a screwdriver and a chisel they would creep up the front steps and unscrew the fastenings and pry the brass loose. Then the wire would be cut and the boys would take their plunder and run. At the junk dealers a mere pittance could be obtained for the brass, but it would cost the property owners a pretty penny to repair the damage created of the young vandals. A warrant will be applied for.

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It is indeed unnecessary to reinforce with argument a fact so plain. Every enterprising man with real estate interests will take advantage of it without hesitation.

The millions which will flow to the city before and during the fair, will be well distributed among all classes, but real estate men have especial reason to rejoice at the prospect because the enterprise will restore values to the level where they properly belong.

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Is a man's house his castle when he transfers it to his wife? is now a national "conundrum."

BABY CAP WEEK.

All the young ladies who read that this is baby cap week in St. Louis will feel that there is something in trade announcements after all. From far and near, drummers, male and female, and buyers of both sexes, have come to St. Louis to deal in dainty little caps and bonnets for the arriving generation.

We are evidently getting trade into something like order. A short time ago it was millinery week. Men's hats had their period, and other articles of dress theirs. We have no garter week, as yet, but that will probably come.

Some time in the nearing century all these things will be arranged. And perhaps the buying public will learn to get in its stock of a certain article of clothing at a fixed season. This will save a good deal of time. The trouble will be, as far as baby caps are concerned, that the babies will not always get here in time for baby cap week.

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Probably the most astonished man in the United States today is Admiral Dewey.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF FILTER PLANT.

There ought to be no question of the economic expediency of the municipal ownership of the filtering plant.

The Waterworks of St. Louis are well managed because there is no private interest involved looking for profit out of a public work. The filter plant should not belong to a corporation always working for its own advantage and always tempted to corrupt the public service.

Besides, there are considerations of the plainest utility which are conclusive. The question of responsibility, as Mr. C. H. Ledlie points out, is sure to arise in case a private corporation takes the work.

Let the city take hold. The tendency is all against private management. St. Louis cannot afford to take a backward step.

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It is hard to conceive of a St. Louisan so careless or indifferent as not to get on the roll of subscribers to the World's Fair. No one should wait for an invitation.

THE ADMIRAL'S EYE-OPENER.

Admiral Dewey's interview shows him to be full of grief and resentment over the popular condemnation of his act transferring his home gift to Mrs. Dewey. He is sorry he is a hero and is almost sorry he won the battle of Manila. It is childish, but pathetic.

Poor Dewey! He does not know what it is to belong to the people—to be a public man and popular idol. He does not know what a sensitive, fickle, jealous creature the public is; nor does he realize that there are persons who delight in the ghoulish work of pulling down heroes and picking them to pieces.

The Admiral should pull himself together and possess his soul with patience. He has made a mistake. He should have kept his house in his own name as a sacred offering from the dear and worshipping and worshipful people. But his mistake arose from a natural and generous impulse. It was not fatal. If he retains his temper he will find that the people will forgive him and in the end appreciate his great deeds and virtues and look with charity upon his faults.

Despite his weaknesses we love our hero still. He has had an eye-opener—that is all.

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It is to be regretted that all the rich tariff barons are not as grateful and generous as Andrew Carnegie. More and more of his money is going to public libraries. The good work that the tariff barons might do if they were disposed to undertake it would help to make people forget the source of their large gains.

ARMY OFFICERS IN CONGRESS.

It is reported that Gen. Wheeler has decided to hold onto his seat in Congress. He does not seem to think there is any impropriety in an elected representative of the people accepting a military commission and serving actively in the field.

Aside from the legal question involved, which the lawyers will, no doubt, settle, Gen. Wheeler cannot justify himself. As a member of Congress he should be free to deliberate, speak and vote in obedience to his best judgment and sense of obligation to the people. He should not be hampered by a possible conflict of duties. As an army officer he is under the orders of the President, as commander-in-chief, and while, in this case, no inconvenience is to be apprehended, it is a dangerous precedent which may lead to serious consequences. A man who is expected to "shoot when the captain orders," should not be connected with any civil department of the government.

It is to be hoped that Gen. Wheeler's friends will prevail upon him to resign his commission or retire from Congress. If he does not do this voluntarily the House should take up the matter and settle it once for all.

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Promoter Morris declares that he spent $20,000 and $10,000 worth of his time in getting the "Lake Shore Grab" through the Chicago City Council, and he now has to sue the grabbers to collect the $30,000. It is a shame that a successful briber should be so treated by ungrateful grabbers who have profited by his rascality.

MR. STICKNEY IS FRANK.

President Stickney of the Chicago Great Western Railway has taken the public into his confidence.

He told the Industrial Comission that the Interstate Commerce law was a farce and that published rates were not maintained. Referring to members of the judiciary he said, with delicious frankness, "We find it to our interest to extend favors to certain classes of men who may ask for them." Answering a question touching the morality of such practices, he said, "I don't like to pass on morals." We should think not.

Mr. Stickney further observed that Congress shouldn't meddle with the business of the country. His idea seems to be that the government has no right to interfere with the doings of the companies, such matters being merely private and personal. No lawbreaker has a good opinion of the law.

But Mr. Stickney has done a public service in thus frankly confessing the worst and even boasting of it. Congress should take notice of it. Demagogues and anti-corporation ranters may be neglected. Mr. Stickney is much more severe than any demagogue ever thought of being.

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Uncle Sam is now buying bonds that he ought not to have issued and is paying a high premium for them. The Administration thinks this is a great financial stroke.

THE DEWEY ARCH.

When Admiral Dewey gave his house to his wife he threw New Yorkers into a panic. They think of changing the name of the Dewey arch, calling it the Navy arch instead. And, as an afterthought, it is argued that it is not to be erected in honor of a single individual, but to celebrate the glory of the American navy from Paul Jones to Hobson.

Let the name alone. The arch was designed to commemorate a great victory which will probably appear in the chronicle as the turning point in American history. Dewey's name is associated with that victory and he is entitled to the hero's glory.

Besides, the New Yorkers shouldn't be timid. Nobody is going to make off with the arch, and Admiral Dewey can't give it away. Keep that in mind. He can't give it away.

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As Chicago is so unscrupulous as to approve of a scheme for transferring her filth to her neighbors, how can she be expected to be honest enough to comply with the requirements of the Inspection Commission? The Windy City respects no law or regulation for the protection of anybody outside her own limits.

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When the war for the liberation of Cuba was entered upon there was no talk about the capacity of the Cubans for self-government. Now that we want to make money in Cuba we suddenly discover that it will take a long time for them to learn to manage their own affairs.

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The President, it is said, will be very careful in his Message allusion to the Boer war. Perhaps he will be wise enough to say nothing. The American people sympathize with the fighting farmers, but our Philippine folly bars us from official criticisms of our Uncle Bull.

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The Kaiser will find it enormously expensive to spread the German eagle over the whole earth, as he hopes to do. Like some other schemers, he trusts to the patriotism of his countrymen to blind them to the folly of an unnecessary and dangerous expansion.

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It is not easy to understand Gen. Joe Wheeler when he talks of the expenditure of hundreds of millions of dollars in subduing a single tribe of Philippine "rabbits."

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If Uncle Samuel is making guns that will carry 21 miles, we may smash the enemy's fleet before our wonderful submarine torpedo-boats can destroy it.

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Any dispatch that says many Boers were killed or taken prisoners, and that the British losses were slight, is not censored or delayed.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

If Joe Jefferson wants to stay on the stage, "let him Rip."

St. Louis prosperity has its drawbacks. It brings Chicago burglars here.

What should a seaman know about houses and lands and the title thereto?

The French now have the finest field artillery in the world, but they are shy a Napoleon to utilize it.

Whether Secretary Gage changes his mind or it is changed for him, perhaps Mr. Hanna or Mr. McKinley could tell.

The boiler-iron overcoat will have to be introduced in the Transvaal if any British officers are to come out of the war alive.

Mr. Hanna feels still better since Dewey transferred that house. Any popular chilliness toward the hero of Manila pleases the big boss.

The census enumerators might get some idea of the size of their job by looking in upon the enormous baby-cap business transacted in St. Louis.

When Gov. Roosevelt said to the Mothers' Congress that he was not a mother, he was generally believed, notwithstanding that politicians often deny the truth.

Mr. Bock of the much protected State of Rhode Island has been required to cast $50,000 of smuggled pearls before the high-tariff swine, and he is grunting a little himself.

The whipping and driving out of Mormon elders in Kentucky will surprise our Mohammedan Sultan of Sulu, and may excite his suspicions of Mr. McKinley's sincerity.

If a man and his wife are one, isn't Mrs. Dewey the Admiral, and isn't she the owner of the house that was presented to him? is what some of the women folk are asking.

Uncle Joe Wheeler is doing so much more writing than fighting, that Aguinaldo may get away. What is the reason Uncle Joe is held back when great battles are so necessary?

British bands played "Willie We Have Missed you" on the arrival of the German Emperor in England. Will the German bands play "Where Have You Been, Billy Boy, Billy Boy?" when he gets home?

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

R. M. B.—There is no premium of a 3-cent piece of 1872.

READER.—There is no premium on a half dollar of 1862.

J. W.—We do not answer legal questions in this column.

J. C. K.—There is no premium on the coins you describe.

READER.—Cousins are permitted to marry in Kentucky.

READER.—There is no premium on 3-cent coins of 1853.

ANDREW MOTSCHMAN.—Your verses are not available.

A. K.—There is no premium on one-cent pieces of 1845 and 1849.

M. O. F.—We do not answer legal questions. Consult a lawyer.

READER.—What is the date of your quarter with an eagle and three arrows?

CONSTANT READER.—There is no book containing the names of heirs of estates in Europe.

CUSTOMER.—They are three names all properly spelled as you write them. Do you refer to any particular person?

SUBSCRIBER.—Introduce the gentleman to the lady unless the gentleman is a distinguished man or much older than the lady.

J. R.—Russia ranks third as a naval power. She has 23 battle ships, 17 coast defense ships, 5 armored cruisers, 20 cruisers of other classes, besides a large number of small boats, transports, tugs, training ships, etc.

OLD SUBSCRIBER.—We have no record of the number of lives lost switching cars since Nov. 1, 1899. As that business is much more dangerous than football, it is safe to say that there have been more fatal accidents.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

A GIRL WHO WEARS A REAL TIGER SKIN.

A girl in Lafayette, Pa., wears a real tiger skin jacket. It is snug-fitting and unique. The material was brought from Africa by a tiger-hunting friend.

AN OBLIGING SON-IN-LAW.

"Oh, Tom," exclaimed the bride of six months, "what do you think! Mother says she wants her body cremated."

"She does, eh?" said the husband. "Well, tell her to get ready and I'll take her over to the crematory the first thing in the morning."

A FAVORITE OF MISFORTUNE.

Troubles are the lot of all;
We can't evade what must befall,
And yet it makes me fume and swear
To get some other fellow's share.

HE KNEW THE MANIFESTATIONS.

Widower (coming home late with a jag): Holy smoke! The spirit of my poor wife!—Fliegende Blaetter.

DO NOT WORRY.

The world is wide
In time and tide,
And—God is guide;
Then do not hurry.

That man is blest
Who does his best
And—leaves the rest;
Then do not worry.
—Rev. Dr. Deems.

THE BAD BOY PROBLEM.

The Sumner, Mo., School Board has decided to either expel pupils in need of punishment or to have a sound thrashing administered by the teacher. The parents of the pupils to be punished are to be the judges as to whether it shall be whipping or expulsion.

NOTHING NEW.

Stubb: Here is an account of some woman who thought so much of her dog that she actually had a little valise to carry its extra collars and blankets in.

Penn: Yes, I've often heard of the bulldog's grip.

LIKE THE BIRD.

THE EARLY FISH GETS THE WORM.

WRUNG OUT OF HIM.

Mr. Meeker's spouse had given him a curtain lecture 10 minutes long, and stopped a moment to rest.

"Well," said Mr. Meeker, shrugging his shoulders and speaking under his breath, "every woman to her tirade!"

NOT EQUAL TO EMERGENCY.

New Cockatoo: Does the girl we live with seem clever?

Parrot: No; I've been here a year and she hasn't got me to stop swearing yet.

A SMOKE CHANCE.

Stubb: The man with a good address can always get people to listen to him.

Penn: So can the man with cigars peeping out of his vest pocket.

OH FOR A BOOK!

Oh, for a booke and a shadie nooke,
Eyther in-a-doore or out;
With the greene leaves whispering over hede,
Or the streete cryes all about.
Where I maie reade all at my ease
Both of the newe and olde;
For a jolly goode booke wherein to looke
Is better to me than golde.
—Old English Song.

THE DAY'S LOVE STORY

GABRIELLE.

"THREE sacks of bonbons. One for you, madam, one for you, Mlle. Eulalie, and one for you, Mlle. Gabrielle. They came with this white lilac from M. Allard."

Eulalie, a tall, well-built girl, with handsome, regular features, opened the one that bore her name daintily embroidered on it. Gabrielle found it difficult to untie the gold-stranded string around the neck of the sack, and went to her work basket at the other end of the room for a knitting needle. There were signs of excitement in the agreeable but not pretty face of the girl, who, indeed, had nothing but a fine pair of eyes and look of good nature to atone for the heavy features, colorless face and dull hair. A minute later she was really pretty—for a moment—as her eyes eagerly gazed at a letter that she drew out of the bag. She uttered a little cry, and then ran forward.

"Oh, look here, auntie; look at this!" Suddenly an air of dismay came over her. "It can't be for me," she continued, "it must be for you, Eulalie."

The aunt read the letter, or rather, note, aloud:

It was a formal proposal of marriage from M. Georges Allard.

"Oh, Gabrielle," cried both of the others, "how strange and how fortunate!"

"Your uncle," said Mme. Goudinet, "will be delighted, and I suppose," she added, quizzically, "that the blush in your cheek, Gabrielle, may be taken as a sign of acquiescence?"

The blush burned deeper.

"Come," said Eulalie, "while mamma is talking to father about it, I'll make you look as smart as possible. We haven't too much time, for I expect your"—and she paused maliciously—"pretendu will be here at 5 o'clock."

At 4:45 o'clock M. Allard was announced. A good-looking fellow, dressed in English style, with a manly air and a nervous manner, M. Goudinet advanced to the door impressively and grasped his hand.

"My friends," continued the good man in his most senatorial manner, "M. Allard has to-day made a demand of marriage in the most delightful style, and it is with the utmost pleasure that Mme. Goudinet and I accede to his request."

The radiant look in the young man face was delightful to see. The girl leaned against her aunt for support.

"Come here, my dear," called M. Goudinet; "come here."

Mme. Goudinet led her forward.

For the first time during the scene M. Allard saw her. In a second his eyes searched the whole room. The color fled from his face; he gazed at the girl as if he were a man gazing at death.

"Monsieur Allard, my dear nephew," said M. Gaudinet, joining the hands of the two young people, "embrassez votre fiancee."

There was a long pause—thrillingly long. The man was gazing at the girl's face, a strange look in his. She raised her eyes, the beautiful eyes which were her one charm, eyes then brilliant with happiness and affection. Suddenly she started, giving a cry of pain.

"Monsieur Allard, was there no mistake? Was the letter in the right sack? Was it meant for me?"

He gasped and stuttered.

"What does this mean?" asked M. Goudinet.

"Uncle, it means there is a mistake. I saw in his eyes that he does not love me."

"What does this mean?" said M. Goudinet sharply to the young man.

"There was a mistake," said the young man mournfully. "Goodness knows how it happened! The letter was meant for your daughter."

"Well, but"—interposed M. Goudinet.

"But," continued the young man with dignity, "when I saw what a mistake there was and the fault was mine; when I guessed, too, I hope fatuously, that Mlle. Gabrielle had some liking for me and knew she was willing to accept me, I determined, as a true Frenchman, to take the happiness offered to me even if it were not that which I sought, and carry the secret of my mistake to the grave."

Everybody was profoundly moved—the ladies, all of them, to tears.

M. Goudinet had been whispering to his wife. Once more came an oratorical wave of the right arm.

"My friends," he said. At that moment the door opened and Eulalie came in.

"My friends, Monsieur Allard has just shown himself a Frenchman with all the grand old traditions of our race. I had aspired—legitimately, I trust—to a more brilliant marriage for my daughter; but how could she do better than wed a man of such noble nature, and so, if it be agreeable to Eulalie, I shall have the honor of calling him my son-in-law instead of my nephew."—Condensed from The Sketch.

How To Be Beautiful.

Harriet Hubbard Ayer Advises Post-Dispatch Readers to Cultivate Gracefulness.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS and flowers may be trained to grow gracefully with about equal facility.

A girl who walks with perfect ease betrays her breeding or her training no matter where she may be seen.

In Newport last summer I said to an acquaintance, while we were watching the throng going and coming from Bailey's Beach: "I will wager that I can distinguish the high-born women from the nouveaux riche two out of three from the backs of their heads as they go down the plank walk."

"All right," said my friend. "I'll wager a box of Maillard's chocolates that you cannot. Here is a well-known woman now—quick, tell me is she to the manner born, or has she just 'arrived?' "

I looked and caught a back view of a tall, slender, beautifully formed woman, her head was erect, the chin well drawn in, shoulders firm, and she walked upon the balls of her feet with perfect freedom and with a wonderful grace.

Ever line of her figure bespoke energy, self-control and dignity.

"She is a patrician," I replied at once. "An infant would recognized his fairy princess in that girl's back. Who is she?

Mrs. Clarence Mackay," my companion replied, as she smiled and said: "Well, of course, that is an easy one. Mrs. Mackay was a Miss Duer and certainly corroborates your theory, for she comes of a long, long line of high-bred ancestors."

But now a stout, dumpy, much-laced figure attracted my critical eye.

Again I saw the lady's back only.

"There's no blue blood there, my dear." I observed. "Stout women who have learned to walk as girls or have inherited a fine carriage never lose the indescribable cachet of the woman who knows how to carry herself."

Look at Her Gracious Majesty Victoria if you would see a fat woman of nearly 80 years who walks in very fact like a Queen.

When the fat and waddling lady at Bailey's Beach turned her face toward me I triumphantly claimed my wager, for she happened just to demonstrate my theory.

Now this is a free country, with an opportunity at the top for each one, and every growing girl has a right to be taught to make the best possible appearance.

To improve the walk there are regular exercises that may be taken daily at home without an instructor.

Let each girl who wishes to walk gracefully recollect that she must, each step she takes, lift herself upon her toes, and let herself down gently, resting her weight upon the balls of her feet, instead of upon the heels, and, if you will notice, the ungraceful woman always does walk upon her heels.

The best exercise for straightening out a slovenly figure may be taken perfectly well in one's own bedchamber. Five minutes' practice, morning and night, will do wonders for the figure of the girl who has not yet learned to carry herself with ease and grace.

Remember always that breathing is of the first importance in developing a beautiful form. You must learn how to breathe deeply. Many people, when they attempt deep breathing, make a terrific effort, raising the shoulders and taking the inspiration as though they were about to prepare for a combat to the death. This is not necessary. Take your deep breaths slowly, with the mouth closed, breathing always through the nose alone. Breathe in slowly and uninterruptedly, until the lungs are fully inflated, then expel the breath in the same manner.

Grace may be acquired by the practice of these simple exercises.

Stand erect with shoulders back, chest out, waist in and feet firmly planted with heels together and toes out. Stretch the arms out in front, palms touching; now swing them back until the backs of the hands touch behind you. The arms should be kept quite straight, and the point at which they touch behind you as high as possible.

First Exercise.—Swing the arms around in a circle, one at a time and then both together.

Second Exercise.—Raise the arms straight above the head. Swing them down and as far back as they will go; then without stopping, back to the same position above the head.

Third Exercise.—Lean forward and then backward as far as possible; also to the right and left.

Fourth Exercise.—With a sharp jerk try to make the elbows meet at the back. These simple movements will enable the subject in a short time to balance the body with ease and use the limbs gracefully, and herein lies the secret of a harmonious carriage.

HARRIET HUBBARD AYER.

JUST A MINUTE WITH THE POST-DISPATCH HUMORISTS.

GRAY HAIRS.

When Phyllis found her first gray hair,
How she screamed!
How she started!
How she wept, poor, broken-hearted,
Heavy-laden,
Apprehensive, stricken maiden!
For it seemed
That a poisoned dart
Was imbedded in her heart!
Bitter tears
Wept she then;
Blinding tears,
Once, again,
Wailing, moaning: "Cruel lot!
Lovers now will seek me not!"

When Ethel found her first gray hair,
Did she, blaming
Fate, exclaiming,
Wonder how it happened there?
Did she wail,
Madly wail,
Swoon and then turn deathly pale,
Wring her hands,
Giving wild commands
To her maid, the faithful Mary,
"Haste thee to the apothecary!
Get me thence
A quart of dye!
Bring it hence!
Oh, fairly fly!
I must either dye or die!"
Did she have a nervous fit?
Did she? Not a bit
Of it!

"I don't care," they heard her say;
"I am married, anyway!"
J. GETCHER GUNN.

PEACE.

"We must have peace!" cried Mr. Bull;
"Of trouble all the earth is full."
With him had peace made such a hit,
He went to work to fight for it.
J. G. G.

HIS FETTERED HEROSHIP.

I would not be a hero,
And with the heroes stand,
To have the people throw at me
Gifts from my native land.

Gifts of much sterling value, that
I cannot give away.
I will not be a hero,
But in the ranks will stay.

Rather than be a hero,
I'll skate right down the pike;
For now I see that no hero
Can do as he would like.
G. D****Y.

THE DIFFERENCE.

The actress charms us by her art;
The shopgirl plays a counterpart.
J. G. G.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into the fewest words possible. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column.)

Evanescent Fame.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The press and the public are jumping on Admiral Dewey because of his deeding the people's gift of one large, double house, to his wife.

How evanescent is fame! and how fleeting are the glories of this "woild," as Petie Quinn would say.

One year ago "our George" was greater than Alexander. Now, he would not make an acceptable cigar sign. W. FOX.
St. Louis.

Heroes Are Not All Perfect.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

You, people of St. Louis, at least do not disgrace yourselves after such protestations of love for your hero. Let not one act of Dewey's which does not agree with your ideas of justice make you forget the love and gratitude you owe the hero of Manila. Shame on such love which cannot overlook one imperfection.
St. Louis. MARY BIRDTRAPPER.

Uncollected Garbage.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I want to know why the garbage has not been collected in our block, West Belle, between Sarah and Whittier, for at least three weeks? I pay taxes but feel that I get very little benefit or service from the city authorities. A. B. T.
St. Louis.

"Practical Politics.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Why should Republican organs "take on" so about the Democrats trying to steal the governorship of Kentucky? The Republican party stole the Presidency in 1876. They bribed the cheap darkies of the Returning Boards of several Southern States and counted Hayes in, and chuckled over it. If the Democrats should follow their example, why should they raise a howl?
St. Louis. H. M. JONES.

Want Street Railway Facilities.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I noticed in last night's Post-Dispatch that the St. Louis County Transit Company had filed a petition with the County Court Monday at Clayton, asking for authority to construct a street railway, connecting with Manchester and Clayton. This is a good idea, but it would be still better should it be connected on the Big Bend road and go through West Tower Grove and beyond. There are hundreds of property owners waiting for some car line to pass through on the Big Bend road and over Sappington road. There would be many houses going up next spring in that neighborhood.
ONE OF THE HUNDREDS.
St. Louis.

The Thing to Do.

From the Peoria Transcript-Herald.

The St. Louis papers are still determined not to allow Chicago to turn her sewage down that way, as one of the papers states it. It is barely possible that the St. Louis papers are not aware of the fact that that city is now sending seven-tenths of the sewage that would come down here right now and now has been sending it for years. The howl of St. Louis is really against a much more diluted sewage. St. Louis should put on her studying cap. This is something that she will have to answer if the question is brought up in Congress. The thing for St. Louis to have done was to fight the sewage that has been coming down this way for years.

Home HINTS FOR HOUSEWIVES.

WINE SAUCE FOR THE SPRING DUCK.—Half glass of currant jelly, half glass of good port wine, half of a lemon and half of a glass of water, one tablespoonful of butter, teaspoonful of salt, a good pinch of cayenne, three cloves. Simmer all together a few minutes. Add the wine after it is cooked and strained. A little of the gravy from the game can be added as an improvement.

MINCE MEAT.—Three pounds of prime beef from round, six pounds of Greening apples, one and one-half pounds of suet, one glassful of grape jelly, two lemons (grated peel and juice); two oranges (same), one and one-half pounds of brown sugar, one pint of molasses, one pint of boiled cider, one pint of California brandy, three grated nutmegs, one teaspoonful of mace, two tablespoonfuls of salt, two teaspoonfuls each of ginger, allspice and cloves, six teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, one and one-half pounds of citron, one pound of seedless raisins, one pound of large raisins, two pounds of currants. Roast beef may be used instead of boiled beef from the round; chop it fine, the suet finer; but the apples should be rather coarse, otherwise when cooked in pies will lose distinctive character. Mix as follows: Put the meat and suet into a large bowl or jar (a chopping bowl will do), sprinkle in all the spices and mix well; next add the fruit, then sugar and apples. Mix all the liquid ingredients, including the jelly, and blend in without more handling of the mass than necessary. Keep in a cool place in a stone jar, with melted butter or paraffine on top. Allow to "ripen" a couple of weeks before using.

SMOTHERED BEEF.—Have lean beef chopped fine; place it into a shallow baking pan, putting here and there upon it bits of butter; sprinkle over it a teaspoonful of salt and a dash of pepper; cover it with another pan and run it into a very quick oven. Serve at once on a heated dish.

HOW TO WHIP CREAM.—Purchase cream that is rather thick and at least 24 hours old. Have it exceedingly cold and you may whip it with an ordinary egg beater, or with a silver fork, or a whip-churn. As fast as the froth comes to the surface skim it off. Keep the cream perfectly cool.

A FINE WAY TO COOK RICE.—To one cup of rice add a small teaspoonful of salt and one quart of boiling water. Cook in double boiler rapidly for twenty minutes, then pour off all the water and add a half cup of veal or chicken soup stock—it must be white—cover tightly, return to the fire and cook a half hour longer. The water in the under boiler must boil rapidly all the time. Rice cooked in this way will have every grain separate and flaky [illegible]

SPORTS OF THE DAY

ARE LAUGHING AT IT,

SPORTS AMUSED AT MATCHING OF JEFFRIES AND CORBETT.

THINK LATTER HAS NO CHANCE.

The Date of the Meeting Is So Far Away That All Hands May Die Before It Arrives.

Jim Jeffries and Jim Corbett were matched in New York on Tuesday.

They have signed articles to "fight" twenty-five round before the Coney Island Athletic Club on Sept. 15, 1900.

The fact that they have named a date so far in the remote future makes it appear all the more probable that they will never face each other in the ring and that the "match" has been made simply for the purpose of advertising Corbett's business in New York.

When Siler rendered his now famous decision in the Jeffries-Sharkey fight, the Post-Dispatch prophesied that the Chicagoan would never again referee another fight for the world's championship.

The specials from New York this morning say that neither Jeffries or Corbett want Siler to referee for them, so that this early Siler's unfair action in the big fight is bearing fruit.

As a matter of fact, however, it should not make much difference who referees the Jeffries-Corbett affair.

According to all the signs Jeffries should have a cakewalk from the first sound of the bell.

Fitzsimmons beat Corbett badly and Jeffries, while in St. Louis, told of how he had whipped Fitzsimmons "without getting up a sweat."

Sharkey really whipped Corbett twice and Jeffries twice gained decisions over Sharkey.

With only these events to draw a line from Corbett should have no earthly show against Jeffries.

Ad to this the fact that Corbett is running a saloon in New York and each day leading a gay life and the match between Jeffries and himself looks like a roaring farce on the face of it.

Jeffries appears to have entered heartily into the scheme to advertise Corbett and he is quoted as saying:

"Now, in regard to the opinion which some persons have that Corbett will be the easiest mark which I have had in some time, let me just say that Corbett will give me a more troublesome and harder battle than any fighter has yet given me, not even barring Fitzsimmons and Sharkey. Corbett is a remarkably clever man, a good ring general and extremely lively on his feet. Sharkey, I think, is an easier man for me to beat than Corbett. My reason for saying this is not for the purpose of underrating Sharkey as a pugilist—for he is a wonderful fighter—but just because I have fought him twice and know his style thoroughly.

St. Louis experts laugh at the suggestion of a mill between the two Jims. On the other hand, as high an authority as Referee George Siler appears to believe that Corbett will really have a chance against the other fellow. Siler says:

"Now, Corbett has not been drinking anything to speak of or dissipating the way many defeated champions do, and it is not unnatural for him to think he has a chance against Jeffries. He always thought he could defeat Fitzsimmons in a second meeting, or at least professed to think so, and Fitz still clamors for a chance at his conqueror."

Among most followers of fistic form Corbett is not considered to have much chance against the champion. The latter, as already stated, has defeated both Sharkey and Fitzsimmons, both of whom had previous victories over Corbett. Now, unless Jeffries goes back, Corbett would not appear to have much chance under those conditions, but he evidently thinks the chance worth trying, especially with the loser's end in sight. On the other hand, it would not surprise many were the battle never fought.

The articles of agreement, signed yesterday by Billy Brady, representing Jeffries, and George Considine, representing Corbett, place the date of the contest about Sept. 15, 1900, call for a fight of 25 rounds, make Al Smith stakeholder of the $5000 forfeit money put up by each man and give the winner 75 per cent of the gate receipts. The referee is to be agreed on on May 1, 1900.

Pugilistic Pointers.

Pete Simonin, in a letter to the Post-Dispatch, says: "I notice a note in your sporting columns to the effect that Kid Foutz wishes to meet any local bantam. I will meet him or any other 110-pound man in St. Louis at any time before a reputable club. I can be found at 915 Olive street, where I am employed."

Dan Creedon and Joe Walcott meet at Tattersall's, Chicago, next Saturday night.

Referee Charley White decided last night's fight between George Dixon and Eddy Lenny, a featherweight from Philadelphia, in favor of Dixon. They went the 25 rounds and Lenny made such a good showing that many thought he should have had the decision.

Andy Mulligan has gone to Hot Springs from Louisville and proposes bringing off a lot of boxing matches at the Arkansas health resort during the winter.

The date for the 20-round bout between Harry Forbes, the Chicago bantam, and Terry McGovern has been set for December 22.

Jack Bonner, the Pennsylvania heavyweight who fought Frank Childs to a draw a couple of months ago, wants to meet the negro again before a Chicago club.

Kid Lavigne's sore spine is still causing him trouble, and it is doubtful whether the famous "Saginaw Kid" will be able to enter the ring for several months to come.

Sam Harris, manager of Terry McGovern, offers to bet $1000 that his protege can stop Jack McClelland, the Pittsburg feather-weight, in 10 rounds.

CRACK SHOTS AT HOT SPRINGS.

A National Tournament in February Will Attract Them.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Nov. 22.—Arrangements were made last night by the Hot Springs Gun Club to hold a national shooting tournament here in February, 1900.

Fifteen hundred dollars in added money will be offered and the shoot will last 10 days with 10 events, one each afternoon, winding up with a live-bird handicap.

Mr. Jack Parker, one of the best-known shots of the century, has been secured to manage the affair.

The following officers of the gun club were elected last night:

Dr. A. U. Williams, president; Charles O'Bryan, vice-president; C. E. De Long, secretary; C. N. Bix, treasurer.

A match for the State championship will take place here in Whittington Park on Thanksgiving Day, and a good programme is being arranged in connection.

Bowling.

At the Courthouse ten pin alleys, last Friday night, "Diel's Stars" were organized, with the following members: Geo. Diel, manager; George Kuppinger, captain; William Voihl, Anson Porter, George Kiser, George Keppler, William Lauman, R. Somers, J. Reusche and Joseph Webber. They will bowl any one or two-man match game or team in the city or state for love or money. Address all challenges to George Diel, Courthouse ten pin alleys, city.

A LADY BILLIARDIST.

One, Too, Who Commands Respect Among the Professionals.

Billiards has generally been considered a man's game, but the announcement of the coming next month of Miss Grace Fairweather of London, who claims to be the woman champion of the world, to challenge some of America's players of both sexes, has aroused considerable interest among several New York women players.

Miss Fairweather has been an enthusiastic devotee of billiards for the past 10 years. She was introduced to the public by John Roberts, the English champion, who, after seeing her play, caused her to take up the game seriously. He acted as her instructor in fancy shots for two years. At first she gave exhibitions in Egyptian Hall, Piccadilly, and afterward opened a school for the instruction of women, among whom were the daughters of the Prince of Wales, Lady Brooks, and the Duchess of Warwick, and other members of England's smart set.

Miss Fairweather's style of play is said to be of the sensational skyrocket order. A hard three or four-cushion drive and shots that require the greatest delicacy of stroke, accuracy of execution, and utmost nicety of force receive her spelal approbation. She is a believer in the balk-line and straight-rail style of billiards, considering the former to be of most value to expert players. A difficult shot that she is on record as having made consisted in mastering a proposition where two object balls were nearly in line, so that she could not get by the second ball, by making a half masse, caroming on first ball, jumping the second and going round the table, taking the necessary three cushions and coming back to the ball she jumped.

BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE.

Jake Morse Thinks Both Should Be in the American Association.

In the Boston Herald of last Sunday, J. C. Morse, the veteran baseball writer of that city, had this to say about the new American Association:

"The public has been kept very much in the dark about the new association, and naturally so. The newcomer is working quietly, yet persistently. The people behind it are determined to make the movement a go. If it is not a success now, they will keep working away until they reach the goal of their desires. There is all kinds of talk about the circuit, but the matter will not be settled until the officials come East and look over the field. They will then select the cities they think will show up the best. President Quin has no knowledge about Boston being out of the circuit; on the other hand, he is extremely anxious that Boston should be included, as he thinks it one of the best cities in the whole circuit. Worcester and Providence are both anxious to be included, and both would make a great success. Whether there will be room for Boston, Providence and Worcester in the same circuit, it is impossible to say, but, could it be arranged, there is no doubt such a circuit would be the biggest kind of a success financially, as well as otherwise. There could be nothing to popularize the game more in this section than to localize it. The old interest between Boston and New York has gone to smash. There has never been anything in baseball in this section except when Boston and Providence were members of the League, and the addition of Worcester would increase the interest. It will be remembered that Boston, Providence and Worcester were once in the same league. Worcester would now be far more successful in such company than in the days of old."

SENDS IN HIS ENTRY.

Mr. McCreery to Again Try for the Amateur Billiard Championship.

Mr. Wayman Crow McCreery of St. Louis has forwarded his entry to the Amateur Athletic Union.

He will again be a contender for the A. A. U. class A billiard championship to be held in February. Those who compose the A. A. U. billiard committee are exceptionally jubilant over Mr. McCreery's entry. That gentleman goes East this time fully determined to bring back with him the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company's $1000 trophy, emblematic of the amateur championship. He competed last year, and his world's record run of 139 for the 14-inch balk-line will long be remembered by those who saw it, and his single average of 13 1-3 in 400 points and his grand average of 9 1-6 in 1600 points are still emblazoned on the scroll of billiard fame. These were the records for the tourney, but strangely enough Mr. McCreery did not win first place, and that is the reason he is coming this time with so much determination.

ST. LOUIS COURSING CLUB.

The Entrance Fees Cut Down to a Popular Price.

Owing to the success attending the meetings of the St. Louis Coursing Club given during the fall the club has resolved to cut the entry fee to $3 for next Sunday's meeting. This will most likely meet the approval of greyhound owners and bring out a large field in the All-Age Stake to be run on that day.

The match race between Mr. B. O'Keefe's Bendigo and Dr. H. A. Jones' Welch Lady for $50 a side will be decided next Sunday, as both owners have agreed on that date, and the money is up in the hands of the club's treasurer, Mr. J. J. Lavin.

WITH THE RUGBY PLAYERS.

The Illinois Team Will Be Here Saturday to Play the St. Louis.

The fearful wet weather of this week is not likely to do the Rugby football game in this section much good. The local fields are in fearful shape from recent rains and will hardly dry out by Saturday next. No games will likely be played before then.

The University of Illinois team from Champaign, Ill., will be here on Saturday afternoon, playing the St. Louis University at Handlan's Par. This will be the only game played on Saturday in St. Louis. The Illinois team is a strong one and the predictions are that they will give the St. Louis team a bad beating.

The Baileys Rugby team is composed of the following players: E. Moley, left end; Baldwin, left tackle; L. Sutter, left guard; Klyer, center; Weber, right guard; C. Fawcett, right tackle; B. Sutter, right end; Kelley, quarter back; J. Fawcett, right half back; Gallagher, left half back; Pellers, full back. They are open for all games in the 17-year-old class. Address Manager F. Meyer, 4016 North Grand avenue.

The C. B. C. team will after all meet the Washington University eleven at Athletic Park on Thanksgiving Day.

The Smith Academy and St. Louis University teams were scheduled for a Rugby game for Thursday, but owing to the fearful condition of the grounds it is not likely to be played.

Caught on the Fly.

Al. Reach of Philadelphia is in Louisville. It is said he is there to close negotiations for the purchase of the Louisville players for Chicago. Incidentally he will get a man or two for his own Philadelphia club.

That great but erratic left handed pitcher, "Still Bill" Hill is wintering at Cincinnati. He received a notice from the Brooklyn Club the other day that he was under reservation to the champions.

Heine Peitz of the old "Pretzel Battery," Peitz and Breitenstein, who broke a bone in his ankle at Portsmouth while out on the barn-storming tour, is geting along nicely. His injury is not so bad as was first supposed. He has been confined to the house over a month. In the last few days his injured ankle has improved greatly. Yesterday he was able to bear the weight of his body on the injured member. It was thought at first that Peitz would be on the hospital list all winter.

The. Breitenstein is very busy these days telling St. Louisians just why the Cincinnati Reds failed to beat out St. Louis in last season's championship race.

PLAYERS FROM THE COAST.

Claim Made That California Contributes Well to Baseball.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—Umpire Graves, who has umpired a few games in the California League this year, is a warm admirer of the local talent. He believes that in proportion to its population this State has given to the diamond more players than any other.

"When baseball is booming here," observed Graves yesterday, "few years pass but that we give to the National League a couple of crackerjacks. I remember when I broke into the National League from one of the Southern States and finished the season. They thought it a wonderful thing, for I was the first player to stick it out. Others had gone into the big league, but found the pace too fast. Here, in California, it is the unusual if a beginner drops out of it.

"California sent out Donlin and Lockhead this year and Chance and Hughes the year before, and all four made records which their friends are proud of. Now, next year Harvey and Doyle are signed, and I feel certain that they will prove valuable men. Both are ball players from the ground up and will soon fall into the ways of the National League. We have a few more players who were brought out this year whom I think will do. That man, Drennan, of Santa Cruz is one.

Manager Manning of the Kansas City team has asked me to recommend to him a good fielder, and I have instructed him to sign Drennan by all means. Manning asked me to pick him out a pitcher and I have submitted Iberg. What I like about Iberg is his cool-headedness. A pitcher must be cool or he will never be a success. That is one great thing against Fitzpatrick; he is liable to get nervous.

"Krug is another player who would hold his own in faster company, but I understand he does not want to make professional ball, exclusively, his means of a livelihood, so I have said nothing about him to the Eastern clubs."

TIPS FROM THE TURF.

Local Plungers Working Just Now Under Difficulties.

Local plungers never had such a time placing their money as they are having nowadays. The police are following the pencilers up closely and arrest them when they see them acting the least bit suspiciously.

Starter Billy Bruen did not go to San Francisco, and is spending the winter quietly at his home in the West End.

Ed Hopper is back in the judges' stand at Oakland, Cal.

Jake Holtman, whose great work with the flag at the recent Newport meeting was the talk of racegoers, will officiate at Newport again next spring. Manager Fowler sent for the big starter Tuesday and asked him to serve in the same capacity at the Newport track next season. The gentlemen, after a brief talk, came to an understanding, and Mr. Holtman will handle the flag at the Campbell County track again next season.

Tom Blackburn will probably winter at Newport. Mr. Blackburn is a resident of Cincinnati, and rarely ever races his horses during the winter season. He prefers to let them rest up for the early spring campaign.

High Degree, Gene Leigh's 3-year-old filly that was played for a killing at Newport last Tuesday, will be sold at auction during the sales at Lexington this month. The balance of Mr. Leign's Western stable will be shipped to New Orleans. Frank Kelly will look after the Eastern division of the Leigh stable during the winter months.

Hiram Nnckles will have charge of H. J. Scoggan's string at New Orleans until after the holiday season. Mr. Scoggan has gone to his home at Louisville, and will remain there for several weeks attending to personal business matters.

The "killing" on What Next in the closing event at Newport on Thursday was not confined to St. Louis.

At Cincinnati as well as at several other places that horse was played to a stand-still.

While What Next was being played at Cincinnati he was also being played in the poolrooms around the country, and the pencilers doing business on the sly in St. Louis were nearly bankrupted when the wires brought news that What Next was first past the post.

C. H. Williams, the owner of the horse, had laid away with What Next for a "killing," and he did not make any mistake in the matter. He made sure that he had the Woodward cast-off on edge, and then selected for his initial appearance at the Newport meeting a race whose conditions made it a certainty that he would not, in it, have to meet "warm" company. Such a race was on the programme for Thursday. It was a mile selling dash for 4-year-olds and upward that had not won since Oct. 6, and What Next was put into it. It was people who bet "good" money that had the tip on the Williams horse, and when one of the pencilers on the Newport ring chalked up 6 to 1 against him there was a rush in his direction that threatened to sweep him from his block. He took some of the money that was thrust at him, and then, as there was no call for anything but What Next, he realized that he was getting in badly, and cut to 4 to 1. Other books had 5 to 1, and each of them was besieged by players who pushed and elbowed each other in their frantic efforts to get down at the best figures obtainable. When one would cut there would be a rush to another book in which a little better price was offered, and there was a greater air of activity in the ring at Newport than has been seen in a betting ring near Cincinnati in recent years. Point by point the price was driven down, until at post time it was 8 to 5.

What Next was the best thing of the meeting. He lay behind Hampden and Dr. Withrow to the stretch, when he ran around them and came home "on the bit," a length before Loyalty, who came with a rush from the ruck in the stretch. Every book in the Newport ring lost well to the race, two of the number between them being caught to the tune of $2500.

With the Association Players.

Everyone is wondering what the Cycling Club will do now that Billy Kane has joined them.

If the West Ends can beat the Cycling Club with Kane and Garrett leading the latter eleven, then they are sure enough a great football team.

The Elliott, Jr. Football team was not beaten by the Baileys on Nov. 12, as stated in the Post-Dispatch. The score on Nov. 12 was 0 to 0. The game only lasted until the middle of the second half, when the Baileys tried to run in some "ringers." The Elliott, Jr.'s would like to have a return game with the Baileys for Nov. 26. So, at least, says one of the Elliotts.

The Thistle Football Club, the champions of South St. Louis, would like to arrange a game of association ball with some first-class club for Thanksgiving afternoon. Address C. Ramp, 1141 Olive street.

Questions Answered.

W. L.—Last year's St. Louis Derby was captured by John Bright.

L. R.—Joe Choynski and Dan Creedon fought six rounds to a draw in this city March 21, 1895.

Baseball Crank.—The new Western League now in process of formation will have for a circuit Omaha, Lincoln, Des Moines, St. Joseph, Topeka Denver and either Cedar Rapids or Cripple Creek. The association will be organized at Omaha next week.

Reader.—A straight flush beats four aces.

W. H.—The playing season of the National League generally commences on April 15.

Edward Corcoran—Yes, John L. Sullivan once umpired a baseball game in South Side Park.

J. S. H.—No, Fitzsimmons was born in Cornwall, England.

A Reader.—Sharkey was down three times in the second round of his fight with Jeffries. Once he was knocked down, once he slipped down and once he lost his balance in swinging and went to the ring floor.

ANSON HAS GROUNDS,

THE GRAND OLD MAN TALKS OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

HE SAYS IT IS A CERTAIN GO.

He Has Received News From the East Which Clinches the All-Important Question.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The American Baseball Asociation, according to Adrian C. Anson, is a sure go.

The veteran ex-manager said yesterday that he had received word from the East that everything has been fixed up, and asserted with equal positiveness that all details had been settled upon in the West.

He said that President Quin would soon go East and that he himself might take a trip to New York in the near future. He intimated that he might be in Gotham at the time of the National League meeting.

It was stated yesterday by friends of Mr. Anson that he has practically secured a lease of grounds on the South Side.

It was said that a downtown real estate firm was ready to turn over to the Anson syndicate the baseball grounds used by the Columbia Giants last season.

The grounds are located west of Wentworth avenue, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, and are adjacent to the Wanderer's cricket grounds. On the west the field is flanked by the railroad tracks of the Western Indiana system.

The backing which is claimed for Anson consists of a local brewing company and one of the South Side transportation companies. The brewing company will stand responsible for building the grand stand, while the transportation company will aid in other expenses incidental to laying out and enlarging the field.

The field as arranged at present is not large enough to accommodate the expected thousands, but the plat of land is plenty big enough, so extension is easy. It is figured that $12,000 will be enough to build stands and fit out the grounds, making them second to none in the city.

HONEST HANS WAGNER.

A Story That He Will Play With Cincinnati Next Season.

Perhaps "Honest" Hans Wagner, the heavy-hitting player with the Louisvilles, will be with the Cincinnatis next season.

There is reason to believe that the Louisville Club will sell out.

President Dreyfus promised President Brush some time ago that Cincinnati should have the first choice of players if the Louisville Club decided to sell out. This would mean that President Brush would chose Wagner.

FOR LEE AND WHEELER.

Movement to Have Them Commissioned as Major Generals.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—A meeting of those interested in honoring Gen. Joseph Wheeler and Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, was held in the parlors of the Auditorium Hotel. Miss Anne Marie Debreck presided. An appeal, addressed to the women of the country, asking them to aid in the project was issued, the resolution embodied therein reading:

"Resolved, That the people in every section of the country be asked to circulate, sign and send to their respective representative in Congress a letter, praying that body to enact a law creating two additional Major-Generals for the regular army, with the request that the President appoint to the positions Gens. Fitzhugh Lee and Joseph Wheeler, so that, at the proper time, they may be retired with full rank, honors and pay attached to the exalted rank.

"Resolved, That the people in every section be asked to subscribe to a fund to be used in purchasing for each of the officers named, a sword, which will for generations be held as sacred heirlooms by the descendants of these distinguished citizens; these funds to be raised by properly organized local committees."

The Illinois Trust and Savings Bank having offered to act as custodian, it was resolved that all funds be sent direct to the bank with the words "The Lee and Wheeler movement" written across the upper left hand corner of the envelope. The appeal was singned by Miss Anne Marie Debreck, president; Mrs. Louise Abbott, secretary, and Mrs. R. L. Crady, Miss Edith Spears and Miss Blanche Ensinger, committee.

DIPLOMATIC DEALS DELAYED.

Death of Lady Salisbury Hinders the Samoan Negotiations.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—In consequence of the bereavement suffered by Lord Salisbury the settlement of several diplomatic matters pending between the United States and Great Britain is expected to be delayed.

Among these are the Chinese and Samoan questions. Great Britain's attitude with respect to the request of Secretary Hay for written assurances looking to the preservation of American commercial rights in her spheres of influence in China seems to have been settled to the satisfaction of the officials, who have received oral assurances of the intentions of the London Government to reply favorably to Ambassador Choate's note, but it is not believed that the answer will be submitted until three weeks. The several powers approached have undoubtedly been exchanging notes respecting the character of their replies, and it is stated by diplomatists here that if one would take the lead the others would quickly follow. For this reason Great Britain's apparent hesitancy has caused considerable talk in diplomatic circles here.

It was reported this morning that China had conceded the claim of France to the possession of two islands which command the entrance to Kwang-Chao-Wan Bay. No information to confirm this report has yet been received at the State Department, but officials say that if this report be true it is another indication of the gradual encroachment of the powers upon Chinese territory. In order that it may defend its commercial rights in China they say that this Government should have written assurances from the powers occupying territory that they will be respected.

KEEPING UP THE COLOR LINE.

Decision in Respect to Schools Rendered in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn has denied the appeal of Elizabeth Cisco, colored, from the decision of the special term, refusing a peremptory writ of mandamus to compel the School Board of Queensborough to admit her children to the public school on Brenton avenue, Jamaica, and make no distinction on account of color. Mrs. Cisco claimed the right to have her children accepted as pupils in the school in question, but was told that they must go to a separate school for colored children.

Justice Goodrich, writing the opinion for the Appellate Division, says that the provision of the Constitution which provides that equal school facilities shall be furnished to all children cannot be held to mean that the white children and the black children must be permitted to attend the same school. As to the question of the excellence of the instruction in the school for colored children in comparison with the schools for white children, Justice Goodrich does not find that there is any difference.

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MEXICAN RAILWAY BONDS.

The Company Permitted to Proceed With Its Funding Plan.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Word was received in Wall street that the British Court of Appeals had, during the day, rendered judgment in the case of the Mexican National Railroad, reversing the decision of the lower court and permitting the company to proceed with a plan for refunding its 6 per cent bonds through an issue of $4,500,000 Mexican International 5s. According to the report the railroad expects to realize about $2,000,000 by the operation.

As the interest on the first mortgage 6s of the Mexican National Railroad has been met regularly, it is believed in Wall street that the refunding plan relates to the second mortgage 6 per cent common bonds. These are of two classes, A and B, the total issue being $12,265,000 of each class. The interest on class A is cumulative, and from time to time certain payments have been paid, but there is considerable back interest still due.

A proposition was submitted to the holders of the A and B bonds in 1890 to consolidate the control of the company by turning these securities over to a corporation which would issue its own securities against them. The plan was declared operative, and the corporation, the Mexican National Railway Co., Limited, of England, has issued £2,241,075 non-cumulative 5 per cent A and £1,911,000 B certificates. In April, 1898, £2 15s 8d per cent was paid on A certificates.

GOOD ARMY POST VACANT.

It Is That of Assistant Adjutant General.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Maj. Wm. J. Volkmaker, Assistant Adjutant-General, has applied for retirement, thereby creating one of the most desirable vacancies that has occurred in the staff of the army for a long time. The eagerness with which appointments to the Adjutant-General's corps are sought is realized when it is stated that over 200 applications had been filed for Volkmaker's vacancy before it became generally known in the army that any retirement was about due. These applications came not only from captains of the line, but from majors, who could expect no immediate advancement in rank under the existing organization. It is the general conviction in the service, however, that the Adjutant-General's Department is soon to be extended, when the promotion of officers who are already in the corps will be raised and their influence increased. Most officers, in fact, are beginnig to look on entrance to this corps as their personal salvation.

Maj. Volkmaker is now attached to the headquarters of the Department of the Lakes at Chicago. He entered service as a sergeant of the Thirty-third Pennsylvania Infantry on June 19, 1863; was a cadet at West Point in 1864; graduated in 1868. He served in the Fifth Cavalry until appointed Major and Assistant Adjutant-General in 1885.

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DEWEY FEELS GREAT DISTRESS.

Deeply Sensitive to the Criticisms of the People.

HE BELIEVES THEY ARE UNJUST.

BELIEVES HE WAS RIGHT IN GIVING HOUSE TO HIS WIFE.

An Explanation That This Was Only Part of the Plan to Place It in the Name of His Son as an Heirloom.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The deed transferring the Dewey home from Admiral and Mrs. Dewey to the Admiral's son, George, was recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds to-day. A life interest in the property is reserved by Admiral Dewey and his wife in the following provision:

"Subject, however, to this express reservation, that the parties of the first part do hereby expressly reserve to themselves and to each of them during and for the period of their natural lives respectively, a life interest in and to the premises herein described, which life interest in case of the death of either of the parties to revert to the other."

The instrument bears date of Nov. 14, the same date borne by the deeds from Admiral Dewey to Lieut. Crawford and from Lieut. Crawford to Mrs. Dewey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Admiral Dewey is much distressed at what he regards as unjust criticism by the people of his act in transferring his house to his wife, who has now transferred it to George Goodwin Dewey, the Admiral's son.

In a Washington paper the Admiral is quoted as follows:

"When I made over this house to my wife I thought I was doing the most gracious act that an American gentleman could do. I thought the people had given me this house for me to dispose of as I chose. It seems that I was mistaken. I would never have sold it, nor given it, nor willed it, nor disposed of it in any manner whatsoever outside of my own family. But I did believe that I had the right to give it to my wife or my son if I chose to do so.

"It pains me deeply to feel that I am compelled to lay open the secrets of my domestic life; but in view of the insults which I have received at the hands of writers of letters which have been published to-day, I feel justified in somewhat overstepping the bounds of propriety and saying that Mrs. Dewey understood better than I did the feelings of the people, and at first declined to permit the house to be transferred to her. She did consent only after an arrangement had been effected whereby not only the house, which was the gift to me from the American people, but her entire personal fortune, which, as you are aware, is considerable, was ultimately to go to my son George. Thus he had absolutely nothing to lose by my conveying my house to my wife, but, on the contrary, was a great gainer thereby."

"I would never have believed it possible that the American people, who made such a hero of me two months ago, could have in this brief period so turned upon me as to fill the columns of the papers with the worts sort of abuse. When I landed in New York I was told that I was the hero, the idol of the nation. I was told that nothing was too good for me; that anything that I could ask was mine. I asked no idolatry, I asked no applause. I had merely done my duty and was ready to do it again. But I did ask one thing, which was to be let alone, to conduct my personal and domestic affairs as I saw fit, and this one simple privilege which I asked from the American people has been denied me. While I was a hero two months ago I am now reduced to such a position that certain people can not say things too villainous, too scurrilous about me. And no one defends me.

"When I sailed into Manila Bay over dangerous ground, with death and even worse in front of me, I little thought that in such a brief period of time after I returned to my native land the American people would countenance such monstrous attacks upon me because I was doing what I considered to be the most gracious thing I could do, to present my home to my bride.

"I am cut to the quick. I never have felt so badly in all my life. I want the American people to know it. I want them to know that if I could I would return to the contributors to the fund the house purchased with it. I would never in the world have accepted it if I had known what it would cost me. If I should feel to-morrow as I feel now I would cut it all, throw up everything, go on the retired list and go abroad. In fact, I feel so discouraged, so worn out to-night that I scarcely know what I will do. I hardly feel like living in a country where I can be attacked in so outrageous a manner without being defended by any one."

He said that while in command at Manila and when he first arrived home he considered himself a public man and thought the public had a right to know something of his movements, but after his marriage he considered that he had retired from public life and had the right to live as he pleased.

"I feel so badly over this matter," Admiral Dewey said in conclusion, "that I fear I have expressed my feelings in a somewhat disconnected manner, but I have been so troubled and agitated to-day that I can scarcely collect my thoughts. All I wish to convey to the people is that I am greatly distressed at these attacks upon me and that I deeply resent them."

M'LEAN'S EXPLANATION.

The Transfer to Dewey's Son Was a Part of the Original Plan.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—John R. McLean, Mrs. Dewey's brother, makes the following statement:

"Admiral Dewey's transfer of the home given him by the American people was only an incident in a general plan.

"Every one who knows the Admiral must realize that he has appreciated deeply and thoroughly the honor paid him by his grateful countrymen and countrywomen. It is not too much to say that the gift of the beautiful house at No. 1747 Rhode Island avenue, coming so spontaneously, as it did, from all classes and sections of the United States, was perhaps the most pleasing recognition of his services to his country, and it is unreasonable and unjust to suppose for a moment that Admiral Dewey was even in the least degree unmindful of the spirit and purpose of the American people in presenting him so beautiful a testimonial of their affection and regard.

"Admiral Dewey has never for an instant intended that his gift from the hearts of his countrymen should ever pass out of his lineal family. He determined the moment it came into his possession to fix it so that in case of his death the home should go direct to his son George. After his marriage it occurred to him that it would be a graceful thing to let Mrs. Dewey share in the transfer of the property to his son, and so, in his characteristically gentle and lovely way, he, quite unknown to Mrs. Dewey, and without any suggestion from her, arranged to have the property pass first into her hands, so that Mrs. Dewey might have the pleasure of transferring it to his son.

"It was simply a graceful act of courtesy which the Admiral thought might be agreeable to Mrs. Dewey, and which would delight both him and his son.

"It was exceedingly unfortunate that some unthinking persons should criticise the Admiral before he had had time to fully execute his purpose. The first transfer was followed quickly by the second, and the property is now, as Admiral Dewey all the while intended it should be, in the name of his son—to be held by him and his heirs forever.

"No one can regret more than the Admiral himself, that his motives and purposes have been so misinterpreted by certain persons and certain newspapers. It is impossible for Admiral Dewey to believe that any one who knows him or understands his temper and character, could imagine that he had transferred the property for any other than honorable reasons. The Admiral and the Admiral's friends are quite sure that the great mass of his countrymen have never attributed questionable motives to his conduct.

"Admiral Dewey deeply regrets that a purely personal act of his, prompted as it was by the most natural and most human impulses, should have been perverted by certain hostile critics into an impeachment of his sense of gratitude.

"These criticisms against Admiral Dewey have been inspired by certain persons who, for well-understood reasons, have little love for the Admiral. It is an insidious attack upon a representative American by hidden political foes. I believe that the fight which has started will soon become open, and I have no doubt that the American people, who always love fair play will resent these unjust and injurious attacks upon Admiral Dewey's character in a way that will not be soon forgotten by the honorable gentlemen responsible for the criticisms."

THE SON IS SURPRISED.

Had No Intimation of the Transfer of His Father's House.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—George Goodwin Dewey, son of Admiral Dewey, is quoted as saying that he had not heard from Washington since being advised of the transfer of the house to his stepmother. Mrs. Dewey's subsequent action was a surprise to him.

"I am placed in an embarrassing position," he said, "and cannot talk about the transfer at this time. You may see my father for an explanation."

"SWEET NORINE" FINDS FAVOR.

Post-Dispatch Music to Be Played at the Armory To-night.

Of all the songs given away by the Post-Dispatch with its Sunday edition "Sweet Norine," which was included in the issue of Oct. 29, received the most favor. It was played by the First Regiment Band at a Tower Grove concert and found such favor with Prof. Seymour, the leader, that it will be repeated by this musical organization at the concert to be given at the Armory Wednesday evening. The number is the fifth on the programme.

"It is one of the prettiest songs I ever heard," said Prof. Seymour Wednesday morning "and the Post-Dispatch is to be congratulated for presenting such music to the people.

SENT FREE TO MEN

A Most Remarkable Remedy That Quickly Restores Lost Vigor To Men.

A Free Trial Package Sent By Mail To All Who Write.

Free trial packages of a most remarkable remedy are being mailed to all who will write the State Medical Institute. They cured so many men who had battled for years against the mental and physical suffering of lost manhood that the institute has decided to distribute free trial packages to all who write. It is a home treatment and all men who suffer with any form of sexual weakness resulting from youthful folly, premature loss of strength and memory, weak back, varicocele, or emaciation of parts can now cure themselves at home.

The remedy has a peculiarly grateful effect of warmth and seems to act direct to the desired location giving strength and development just where it is needed. It cures all the ills and troubles that come from years of misuse of the natural functions and has been an absolute success in all cases. A request to the State Medical Institute, 327 Elektron building, Ft. Wayne, Ind. stating that you desire one of their free trial packages will be complied with promptly. The institute is desirous of reaching that great class of men who are unable to leave home to be treated and the free sample will enable them to see how easy it is to be cured of sexual weakness when the proper remedies are employed. The institute makes no restrictions. Any man who writes will be sent a free sample, carefully sealed in a plain package so that its recipient need have no fear of embarrassment or publicity. Readers are requested to write without delay.

CHARGED WITH MANY FRAUDS.

Wesley Hamilton and John W. Blake on Trial.

BEFORE THE FEDERAL COURT.

WITNESSES FROM SEVERAL OF THE STATES.

Defendants, It Is Alleged, Used the Mails to Carry Out a Commercial Enterprise Without Any Assets.

Wesley J. Hamilton and John W. Blake, charged nominally with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, but who are said to have conducted the most remarkable commercial enterprises for alluring gullible persons ever known in the West were on trial Wednesday in the United States District Court.

JOHN W. BLAKE.

WESLEY J. HAMILTON.

They were represented by Judge Chester H. Krum, while District Attorneys Rozier and Morsey prosecuted the Government's case. Scores of witnesses had been subpenaed from Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Indiana and Ohio. Nearly all, it is said, were victims of Hamilton and Blake.

The scheme of the defendants, as outlined to the jury by Mr. Rozier Wednesday morning, was practically to give something for nothing. He declared it was conducted on an extensive scale and many unsuspecting persons were caught in the cleverly devised trap.

He said they visited small towns in various parts of the country and represented themselves as the chief stockholders in a company which manufactured goods of all descriptions, among the articles of merchandise being a patent folding chair. Hamilton said he was an inventor and needed assistants. One condition of persons becoming associated in the business was to take a certain amount of the stock. The Government would show that the different concerns of which Hamilton and Blake were the head and front had no existence in fact and their purported assets were fictitious.

In accomplishing their purpose, Mr. Rozier asserted, they were obliged to use the mails and he would show they did so frequently and chiefly in that way carried on their plans.

The assets and liabilities of the Blake-Hamilton companies were shown to be as follows:

ASSETS.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000
Factory and stock at Marceline, Mo.	15,000
Carroll Manufacturing Co.	12,500
140 chairs, $25 each	3,500
States, as per invoice, from the Victor Novelty Co.	75,000
Arkansas	7,500
Kansas	12,500
Nebraska	12,500
Stock in International Manufacturing Co., St. Louis	9,000
Factory at Vincennes, Ind. (Sawmill bought from W. W. Gorman.)	3,000
Bills received from W. W. Gorman	2,000
Total	$185,000

LIABILITIES.

J. W. Hamilton, trustee for Victor Novelty Co.'s stock	$ 50,000
W. W. Gorman	5,000
J. W. Blake	2,000
Assets bought of Victor Novelty Co.	55,000
Surplus, out of which dividend may be paid	28,000
Treasury stock	45,000
Total	$185,000

The courtroom was crowded at the morning session. There was an unusal attendance of women in the audience. Among them was Blake's wife, who watched the progress of the case against her husband. The pretty stenographers whom Blake and Hamilton employed were also present. They had been summoned to testify against their former employers.

Judge Adams cautioned the jury not to discuss the merits of the case with any one.

Hamilton up to the time of his arrest was addicted to the use of morphine. Since his incarceration in the St. Louis jail it is said he has given up the habit. Neither he nor Blake had a cent on their person when arrested. They were, in fact, unable to give bond.

Detective Gulor of the St. Louis force was the first witness examined. He testified substantially as follows: "I answered an advertisement in a newspaper calling for a business partner. The letter in reply was signed by J. W. Hamilton. It instructed me to call at 1208 Washington avenue. I did so and there met Mr. Hamilton, who told me he had many applicants for the place. He asked me if I was willing to invest $500 and I told him I was. He wanted to know my business and I replied that I was employed as a rockman at a box factory. I informed him my salary was $9 a week, that I had been at work a great many years and was advanced from a position paying $4 per week. He threw several bouquets at me and said he believed I was just the man he wanted. He then asked me if I had the money and I answered that my wife did, but that the transaction would have to be carried on through me, as she could not speak the English language. Mr. Hamilton said that difficulty would be obviated, as he was a fluent German scholar.

" 'But my wfe is Polish,' I said, and that fact seemed to nettle him.

"In return for the $500 given in purchase for stock, he explained how I was to derive immense profit. My salary to begin with was to be $75 per month, which was to be increased to $100 at the expiration of the second month. At the same time I would receive the original $500 and $250 in dividends. At the end of 10 years I was to get $1500 cash, in addition to the amounts mentioned."

Witness then told about Blake and Hamilton calling to see his wife, who, he reported, was seriously ill. It was then arranged to see them the following day. Meanwhile the Postoffice Inspectors were notified and the arrests made.

The detective was subjected to a severe cross-examination by Attorney Anthony. He admitted that he misrepresented himself, but said his object in so doing was apparent.

William James was the next witness called. He said: "Hamilton was stopping at my hotel in Brookfield, Mo. He offered to make me president and secretary of the Victor Novelty Company. In payment for the stock I gave him my note for $400. The Board of Directors consisted of myself, Tilden Alexander and Mr. Hamilton. He proposed to manufacture chairs, but I soon learned he had no factory."

"Did you investigate the assets of the company?" he was asked.

"No, I didn't, but I knew there were no assets."

"How did you know?"

"From other victims?"

"Why did you resign as president?"

"For the reasons stated."

"Did you ever see any of the chairs?"

"No; there were none."

Mr. James explained to the jury that he signed the contract, because the defendant was recommended to him by certain residents of Brookfield. He believed their statements were true. He had known Mr. Hamilton several months.

James was followed by Tilden Alexander, who testified that Hamilton had defrauded him out of $200 in cash.

NEW ROUTE TO TEXAS.

Quicker Time.

Katy Flyer and H. & T. C. via Denison. Through sleeper to Dallas Houston and Galveston.

No Hope for Ex-Mayor Brown.

There was no perceptible change Wednesday in the condition of Mr. Joseph Brown, the exmayor of St. Louis, who has been hovering between life and death for several days at his home, 3758 Olive street. Dr. Wilson, the attending physician, has no hope for his recovery.

Leading

always it is not surprising that the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n should be in advance with a new brew at a time when it is popularly demanded. BLACK AND TAN—"the American Porter."

New Corporation.

Articles of incorporation were filed Wednesday by the Normandy Building Co. The capital stock is $50,000 and the stockholders are James M. Nelson, Jr.; Lewis C. Nelson and John B. O'Meara.

J. ARTHUR NELSON ON TRIAL.

Ex-Manager of the Oakland Summer Garden of Carondelet.

The trial of J. Arthur Nelson, charged with grand larceny, was begun in Judge Spencer's court Wednesday afternoon.

Nelson was manager of the Oakland Summer Garden in Carondelet, of which Henry C. Gruen was proprietor. Nelson and Gruen's daughter formed an attachment, which has not been broken.

$5.00 Free

To the best lady waltzer at the Retail Salesman Association ball, which will be given at Concordia Club Hall on Thursday evening, Nov. 30. Retail clerks can have complimentaries by applying to William Dienstbach, in care of Brandt Shoe Co., N. P. Logan, in care of Hilts Shoe Co., J. G. Schwarz, in care of Globe Shoe & Clothing Co.

JOBBERS IN A COMBINE.

Their Purpose Simply to Make Advantageous Terms in Buying.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The convention of the window-glass jobbers has resulted in organizing an association to be known as the National Window-Glass Jobbers' Association, the sole object of which is to enable the jobbers to purchase on advantageous terms, and the association will resemble an exchange rather than a trust.

The way to get well is also the way to keep well—Abbey's Effervescent Salt.

Take a teaspoonful in a glass of water night and morning.

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There are many causes for a lame back that the ordinary remedies rarely cure. Electricity, however, when properly applied, as it is by the Dr. McLaughlin Electric Belt, goes right to the foundation of all weakness—fills the nerves, muscles, tissues and blood with warm vitality. It warms them, strengthens them and cures the cause, no matter what it is.

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Dr. McLaughlin—Dear Sir: Your Belt cured me of backache in 15 days. I feel like a new man. I had a doctor for six weeks, but he did me no good. I was also troubled with nervousness, but since using your Belt I am cured of that, too. I remain, with many thanks,

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FUNERAL OF DR. MUDD

CATHEDRAL AND STREETS WERE THRONGED.

A TRIBUTE BY BISHOP TUTTLE.

Ceremonies at the Late Residence by Rev. Dr. Niccolls Preceded Those at the Church.

The funeral of the late Dr. Henry Hodgen Mudd occurred at Christ Church Cathedral Wednesday morning. Friends and relatives of the dead physician thronged the cathedral. Many attendants were forced to stand during the entire ceremony, the seating capacity of the cathedral being taxed to its uttermost.

The throng had assembled long before the hour named for the holding of the service, and rows of carriages lined the streets, extending from Locust around on Thirteenth and Olive, almost to Twelfth.

The casket containing all that was mortal of the physician so distinguished in life was taken into the cathedral from the Thirteenth street entrance. Music in solemn strains filled the sacred edifice as the body was taken down the center aisle followed by gray haired men with bowed heads and weeping women heavily veiled. When the coffin had been placed the music died away, a hush ensued and the congregation listened to the reading of the fifteenth chapter of First Corinthians.

The choir then sang "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," after which Bishop Daniel S. Tuttle walked to a position beside the casket and paid a beautiful tribute to the dead man. The Bishop addressed himself briefly to the medical men, physicians and students who were present, urging them to take up the work of the skilled man who had been stricken while in the discharge of his duties. He thanked God, with upraised hands, for the life of this man, so noble in his profession, so loyal a son, brother, husband, father, physician and citizen.

The ceremony continued one hour and at 11:30 the remains were taken down the center of the aisle again, as the choir sang "Nearer My God to Thee."

Private services were held at the deceased's late residence, 3720 Washington boulevard, at 9:30 o'clock, conducted by Dr. S. J. Niccolls of the Second Presbyterian Church.

The casket was covered with flowers, no part of it being visible while being taken along the aisles of the Cathedral.

The pallbearers were old associates of Dr. Mudd and were as follows: Dr. W. E. Fischel, Dr. W. Baumgarten, Dr. J. T. Larew, Dr. N. B. Carson, Robert S. Brookings and William H. Thompson.

The remains were buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

IS GOING TO BE A PREACHER

Eddie Hart, Aged 5 Years, Traveling Alone from Denver, Colo., to West Seneca, N. Y.

Little Eddie Hart, aged 5 years, is taking a long journey for one so young. He is on his way from Denver, Colo., to West Seneca, N. Y., and was in the care of Matron Hunter at Union Station Wednesday a few hours while waiting for his train.

He will enter St. John's Protectory when he arrives at West Seneca. He is being sent there by his mother.

"I want to go away from mamma," he said. "I have a big brother and she treats him better than me. She gives him everything and don't think about me. They will be good to me in West Seneca and I will grow to be a great, good man. I want to be a preacher and they will help me."

A large tag pinned onto his coat gave his address. His ticket was sewed in his coat pocket and the label told where it might be found.

NEW CASES OF TYPHOID FEVER.

Percentage of Increase Smaller Than It Was Last Week.

Reports of typhoid cases continue to come into the office of the Health Department, but the percentage of increase is slightly smaller than it was a week ago.

Among the latest cases reported is that of Leslie Aglar, son of J. F. Aglar of the Union Pacific Railway. The young man is seriously ill at the residence of his father, 4316 Maryland avenue. His sister, Mrs. W. A. Cook, has come from Little Rock to attend him.

The condition of Mrs. George K. Hoblitzelle of 4333 Washington avenue is said to be greatly improved. Mrs. Hoblitzelle has not been informed of the death of her sister, Mrs. Dora H. Nichols, who died Monday of the same malady.

John Burton Kennard, son of S. M. Kennard, and Talton Francis, son of ex-Gov. D. R. Francis, are both improving.

WOLFSOHN MAY HAVE A DOUBLE

Peculiar Developments in This Strange Case of Death and Insurance.

The mystery of the Wolfsohn case is heightened by developments in Los Angeles, Cal. Either Aaron Wolfsohn had a double, who died and was identified as him, or Aaron Wolfsohn is really dead and his double has turned up to claim kinship with the dead man's family.

The insurance agent who insured the man still maintains that it was Wolfsohn he insured and Wolfsohn who died. Dr. Kurtz, the examining physician, maintains the same thing. The undertaker protests that he buried Wolfsohn's body.

On the other hand, the police of Los Angeles say they were never satisfied with the identification. The young man's parents, who live in St. Louis, believe the statement which comes from Chicago that Aaron is still alive.

PERSONAL MENTION.

T. D. Rockwell of Dawson City, Klondike, is at the Southern Hotel. He returned from that country several months ago, after a three years' residence there, during which he acquired a fortune. When he left he held some valuable mining claims, which he will cause to be opened in the spring under his personal supervision. He is now living in New York.

J. S. Richmond, a New York song writer and publisher of several of the popular melodies and airs, is registered at the Southern.

Henry W. Savage, proprietor of the Castle Square Opera Company, arrived in St. Louis Wednesday to look after his local interests.

J. W. Gleed, a railroad lawyer and politician of Topeka, Kan., is at the Planters'.

Samuel Leysle Ridenour, a young society and business man, is bidding his friends good-by. He will make his home in New York and engage in business there.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

James R. Henry	Indianapolis, Ind
Grace L. Wilson	Collinsville, Ill
Charles H. Reed	1121 N. Channing av
Stella Rolff	1121 N. Channing av
George Taylor	4204 Manchester av
Stalsia Kelly	4216 Norfolk st
Ambrose R. Quinn	Lindell Hotel
Catherine Guun	4587 St. Ferdinand av
H. J. Seckler	4235 Pleasant st
Ida C. Weinmann	4229 Pleasant st
George W. Nollmann	2612 Slattery st
Lillian Stattman	1611 N. 20th st
James A. Murphy	Chicago, Ill
Joe Anna Radley	1426 Cleary st
Joseph McGlinn	3157 Brantner st
Maggie O'Keefe	Wellston, Mo
Charles W. Schweppe, Jr.	1814 La Salle st
Ida T. Stricker	2851A St. Vincent av
Henry T. Tiemeyer	1818 Carr st
Anna M. Wichmann	2355 Whittemore st
Charles T. Moxler	2560 N. Bacon st
Anna M. Widmeyer	2821 Hickory st
George Fleiter	2133 Obear av
Gussie Schmidthober	Belleville, Ill

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FEWER CASES OF FEVER

OPTIMISTIC REPORT ON THE TYPHOID SITUATION.

BUT FIVE REPORTS WEDNESDAY

City Health Officer Starkloff Says That Garbage Does Not Cause the Disease.

Unless "returns" from typhoid fever were deceptive Wednesday morning, there is an improvement in the situation. In the first delivery of mail, which reached the sanitary division of the Health Department, there were only five reports of cases.

Chief Sanitary Officer Francis was not inclined to attach too much importance to this fact. He thought it migh just have happened that only a few reports were mailed in time to be delivered in the first mail.

The cases continnue to be reported exclusively almost from the West End. No cases were reported Wednesday from any other part of the city. There was only one buriel permit issued Wednesday forenoon where death was caused by typhoid fever.

There are a great many people in the West End who believe that the manner in which the garbage was not collected during the summer and is still not being collected has a great deal to do with the epidemic. The occupants of the fashionable apartment house, the Cumberland, at Forty-third and Olive streets, think so and are considerably wrought up over the apparent impossibility of getting the garbage removed from the premises. They say that, although Col. Butler's patent garbage boxes are provided in the rear fence, the garbage has not been taken away in ten days and all the efforts of the janitor and the occupants of the apartments to have it removed have been unavailing.

There are people around Fifteenth and Olive streets who think that the prospect of typhoid fever and other diseases becoming epidemic in the neighborhood would be diminished by the removal of the carcass of a dog which has been there a week. The people have pleaded for the removal of it, but nothing has come of their pleading.

Mr. S. H. Pye, business manager of the Methodist Book Concern, at Fifteenth and Locust streets, complained to a sergeant and a policeman Wednesday morning. The sergeant said it was too bad, but the carcass would probably lie there another week.

Chief Sanitary Officer Francis says there is no garbage abroad in the city now.

"The company is hunting garbage," he said. "There can't be found enough to keep the reduction plant in operation."

It was suggested to him that the company, if it would make diligent search around Forty-third and Olive streets, might make a big find.

Health Commissioner Starkloff says the garbage has no direct effect on the spread of typhoid fever.

"The only way in which garbage could be held responsible for typhoid fever," he said, "would be in the general view that whatever is faulty in sanitation brings about a deterioration of systems of the people and makes them become more readily, perhaps, the victims of disease."

BIRTHS RECORDED.

J. and C. Feldotte, 3257 Minnesota; girl.
A. and L. Maxon, 1430 S. Broadway; girl.
A. and A. Clobus, 2018 Knox; boy.
H. and B. Zahler, 2122 Menard; boy.
A. and E. Viehmeyer, 1461 Benton; girl.
G. and M. Pyron, 4415½ North Market; boy.
P. and L. Miller 4228 Prairie; boy.
C. and M. Koch, 2232 Hebert; girl.
L. and A. Gray, 3934A Folsom; girl.
H. and M. Reimler, 1839 N. 25th; boy.
I. and S. Platt, 1920 N. Grand; boy.
T. and L. Tauchart, 35 S. 15th; girl.
F. and L. Trinka, 3652 Iowa; girl.
W. and M. Davin, 1126 Collins; girl.
W. and L. Dunham, 3961 Delmar; boy.
H. and A. Keosterman, 2624 Caroline; girl.
A. and B. Miller, 1331A Whittier; boy.
C. and S. Schneider, 4516 St. Louis; boy.
F. and W. Schuermann, 3996 Gratfot; girl.
S. and A. Garley, 1627 Franklin; boy.
H. and K. Hugo, 3222A Magazine; boy and girl.
A. and M. Merrick, 5222 Cote Brilliante; boy.
J. and L. Green, 4144 Westminster; boy.
A. and J. Weber, 4311 Manchester; girl.

BURIAL PERMITS.

William Schneiderhinze, 28, 4259 Humphrey; typhoid fever.
Emil Horn, 5, 2022 S. Broadway; gastro-enteritis.
Glen Brooks, 22, Jefferson Hospital; pyosalpinx.
Eddie Richard, 7, 208 S. 2d; croup.
Hilda Schwarz, 3, 5037 Benedict; diphtheritic croup.
John Radetsky, 66, Poorhouse; cerebral apoplexy.
John C. Fendler, 41, 7229 S. Broadway; cancer.
H. J. Whaley, 35, Jefferson Hospital; typhoid fever.
Rose M. Achard, 45, 1904 California; heart disease.
Lizzie Greaves, 36, 2637 Scott; consumption.
Wm. M. McPherson, 53, 5159 Delmar; hemiplegia.

Smith—Mahan.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 22.—Samuel Smith and Miss Leona Mahan were married in the Catholic Church here this morning, Father Hoog officiating. The groom is clerk in the First National Bank of this city and the bride is the daughter of T. B. Mahan, Collector of this county.

THE MARKETS.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Nov. 22.

The trade to-day was dull and in the main almost entirely devoid of interest, all exciting features arising from sudden and violent changes in price being eliminated.

Futures were slow to open, and did not show many changes after the first sales were made. The market in most of these clinging persistently to the figures recorded in yesterday's late session, an occasional change being made, which only tended to add a little color to a very dispirited market.

Local and Northwestern receipts were smaller than of late, but in spite of these bullish items connected with higher foreign markets, the advances in futures were confined chiefly to the coarse grain, while the fine fell off slightly.

The Weather—Probably showers to-night and possibly Thursday. The pressure is below normal over the entire country, being lowest over the extreme Northwest and Southern Missouri. Rainfall was general in all sections, except the Rocky Mountain region and Northwest.

The temperature has risen in the East and Northwest and has fallen generally elsewhere.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	To-day.	Yes'day.	Year ago
Wheat	2,390,615	2,392,542	1,560,074
Corn	347,129	359,774	228,359
Oats	14,739	14,739	69,802
Rye	8,097	9,114	2,018
Barley	2,701	300	898
No. 2 red wheat	1,755,491	1,755,017	135,943
No. 2 hard	68,491	68,491	212,340
No. 2 mixed corn	194,931	210,277	64,822
No. 2 white	106,632	103,307	84,526
No. 2 mixed oats	....	....	2,106
No. 2 white	....	....	4,558
No. 2 rye	5,771	5,771	640

Western Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
St. Louis	11,848	22,780	49,695	61,045
Chicago	153,000	155,386	260,295	342,696
Toledo	14,110	4,500	75,800	75,000
Detroit	3,926	2,410	83,357	5,440
Kansas City	23,800	50,400	37,800	38,500
Milwaukee	23,100	24,500	....	850
Minneapolis	264,870	103,750	8,910	....
Duluth	345,993	334,062	519	1,155

Export Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
New York	71,925	....	50,700	196,812
Baltimore	5,862	32,000	151,873	352,776
Phila	54,961	86,038	112,407	180,128
Boston	60,483	176,882	71,509	29,752
Galveston	54,404	....	88,800	....

Western Flour Movement.

	Receipts.	Shipm's.
St. Louis	4,395	5,631
Chicago	20,855	12,742
Detroit	1,200	400
Milwaukee	20,125	5,200
Minneapolis	....	60,341

Export Flour Movement.

PLACE.	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Barrels.	Sacks.	Barrels.	Sacks.
New York	8,215	14,655	3,800	638
Baltimore	26,545	....	84,435	....
Boston	4,545	....	....	12,587

Sample Market Prices.

	To-day.	Yes'day.	Year ago
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	71½	70 @71½	70½@71½
No. 3 red	69½@70	68 @70	67½@68
No. 4 red	60 @65	60 @65	60 @67
No. 2 hard	66 @68	66 @68	64½@66
No. 3 hard	64	64	63½@65½
No. 2 spring	65	65	64 @65
No. 3 spring	63	63	61 @64
CORN.			
No. 2 mixed	31½	31½	33½
No. 2 white	31½@32	31½@32	33
No. 3 mixed	31	31	31 @31½
No. 4 mixed	....	29½	....
OATS.			
No. 2 mixed	24	24	27½
No. 2 Northern	24½	24½	28
No. 2 white	26 @26½	26 @26½	29 @29¼
No. 3 white	25 @26	25 @26	28½@28¾
No. 4 white	24 @24½	24 @24½	28 @28½
No. 3 mixed	23½@23¾	23½@23¾	26¾@27
No. 4 mixed	23 @23¼	23 @23¼	26¼

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Dec	68⅜@68¾a	68⅝	68	68⅛a
May	72⅞a	72⅞@73	72½	72⅝b
CORN.				
Dec	31 a	31⅜	31⅛	31¼a
May	31¾@31⅞b	32⅛	....	32 b
OATS.				
May	25 b	....	....	25⅜b

Chicago Markets.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Dec	67⅛@67¼	67⅜	66⅞	66⅞@61 b
May	71⅝	71⅝	71⅛	71⅛a
CORN.				
Dec	32⅝@32¾	33	32¾	32¾@32⅞a
May	33⅜	33¾@33⅞	33½	33½b
OATS.				
Dec	23¼	23⅜	23¼	23⅛@23¼a
May	24½	24½	24⅜	24⅜
PORK.				
Dec	$8 10	$8 12	$8 02	$8 05 a
Jan	9 52	9 57	9 47	9 50 b
LARD.				
Dec	4 90	4 90	4 87	4 87 b
Jan	5 12	5 12@10	5 10	5 10 b
RIBS.				
Dec	4 85	4 87	4 85	4 85
Jan	4 95@97	4 97	4 92@95	4 92@95b

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CHICAGO CLOSE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Wheat—Dec., 66⅞@67c b; May, 71⅝c a. Corn—Nov., 32⅛c n; Dec., 32¾@32⅞c a; May, 33⅛c b. Oats—Nov., 23⅛@23¼c n; Dec., 23⅛@23¼c a; May, 24⅝c a.

Flax—Northern, $1.32 b; Southwestern, $1.32; Dec., $1.31¼ b; May, $1.31¼.

Flax—Cash Northwest, $1.32; Southwest, $1.32; Dec., $1.31¼; May, $1.31¼. Rye—Dec., 52c; May, 54c. Barley—Cash, 39@45c. Timothy—Nov., $2.40; March, $2.52.

CURB MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—Dec. wheat, 67⅞c; puts, 67¾c; calls, 68⅛c.

CHICAGO—Dec. wheat, 66⅞c b; puts, 66½c s; calls, 67@67⅛c b.

May corn—Puts, 33½c; calls, 33½@33⅝c.

WHEAT.

The pit but sparcely filled with traders payed little attention to the futures in the high-priced grain, seemingly content if an opening was secured at any figure. Changes were made, but they were small and during the first part of the session consisted only in the fluctuations attending the opening. Later prices became more in conformity with the dictates of an abundance of bullish news, but the early market showed no great disposition to act in sympathy with any foreign trade.

Both factions might, considering the uncertainty of the situation, have taken at least a temporary hand in the control of the market and even if prices were changed but slightly, the pit would have been enlivened and interest for a few moments stimulated.

Dec. opened a little later in the session at 68⅜c, being unchanged to ⅛c lower than yesterday's close, the future dragged slowly and another sale was not recorded for some time, even the usual number of bid and offered prices were few; finally the future fell to 68⅛@68⅜c and then to 68⅛c.

May opened unchanged at 72⅞c, the figure made in closing yesterday being an offered one; later the spread was increased slightly, the future rising to 72⅞@73c, but soon falling back again to 72⅝c.

A wire from Chicago said:

Duluth reiterates that a large block of its wheat is destined for Chicago. This is altogether apart from another round lot which is destined for Georgian Bay for cheap storage. A lot of 225,000 bu is already on the lake from Duluth bound to Chicago, which is under charter to a local elevator concern. It may all be here this week, although it has not yet all started.

Wm. A. Rooke's Chicago Morning Letter.

Cables were ¼d higher for wheat. The better tone on the other side and at the seaboard markets in this country is gratifying, and if it continues will affect values favorably.

Antwerp and Paris were both unchanged to-day, while London opened ½d up.

Broomhall cables: "The firmness at the close of American markets yesterday, together with shorts covering, accounted for the advance in this market at the opening. Later a natural reaction took place and prices eased off somewhat, steadying again later on the predictions of smaller American shipments and a better spot demand."

The market closed ¼d up.

Receipts of wheat at primary points to-day were 840,647 bu, as compared with 1,075,000 bu same date last year. Shipments, 697,988 bu, compared with 784,000 bu same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis to-day were 11,848 bu, compared with 48,348 bu same date last year. Of these 1599 sacks and 11 cars were local, compared with 1266 sacks and 59 cars same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day were 634 cars, compared with 328 cars same date last year.

NEWS OF THE PIT.

To P. J. McMorrow.

Indications are for good weather, and if this buying of corn has been purely local and outsiders have taken advantage of bulge to sell, market will need more support to prevent a reaction.

There seems little better tone to market and some buying by outsiders. May wheat in fair request.

To Arthur C. Petri.

Minneapolis wires: "Elevator people report light receipts at country points. Roads north are good, but farmers not disposed to market at present prices."

Minneapolis wires: "Good demand for cash this morning, all grades. One, two to three over December, owing to quality."

Wheat rather firm, but duller than usual of late. Apparently a good supply of May on sale over 71½c.

Last year's light receipts caused by blizzard in Northwest.

To Oswald Graves.

Corn opened strong with commission houses good buyers and crowd generally inclined to bull side. Little easier on realizing sales, but the tone is firm and see nothing to indicate much if any decline while this condition lasts.

Wheat steady with commission trade light. Transactions mostly in the way of changes.

Gifford sold May wheat. C. H. Smith selling wheat.

Chicago—Wheat opened shade higher on better cables.

Foreigners bought small amount of May wheat and corn in Chicago; fairly good orders from United Kingdom.

CORN.

The pit to-day seemed to have transferred its attention from the usually high priced grain to the coarse and cheaper cereal. This was shown by the way in which the futures in these two grains were dealt in, for from the first clang of the gong opening the session the bid began to take a lively interest in corn. This attention was held well, on account of many fluctuations, some of them of a comparatively exciting nature, which kept the buyers on the alert, awaiting anything that might effect the market to their interest.

December was bid 31¼c, and then 31⅜c before condescending to open, which it finally did at 31⅜c. Later the future began to advance, going to 31½c, and then to 31⅜c, but falling back again to 31¼c.

May was bid 31⅞c, 32c and 32⅛c, finally opening at this figure.

A Chicago corn wire read:

The corn short does not like to see the wet weather West, which has made its appearance. He fears it will mean a breaking up of the country roads and a reduction in the already small country movement. The Western rains have been as potent in the corn pit the past two days as any other one circumstance.

Patten was the buyer of corn yesterday, taking at least 500,000 bu, and some thought double that. "The farmer is not selling corn," said Patten. "With wet weather he will sell still less." Patten had been considered a bear on corn up to yesterday, and his buying was regarded as a moving over from the bear to the bull side.

Liverpool opened ⅜d up for corn, while London was ½d advanced. Liverpool closed ½d up.

These bullish figures were received regarding the Chicago corn market:

Receipts last two weeks	3,167 cars
Receipts same two weeks one year ago	5,397 cars
Receipts same two weeks two years ago	4,697 cars
Local stock, all grades, in public elevators Nov. 13, 1899	2,810,314 bu
Local stock, all grades, in public elevators Nov. 14, 1898	9,886,397 bu
Local stock, all grades, in public elevators Nov. 15, 1897	19,793,828 bu
Local stock contract corn in public elevators Nov. 13, 1899	2,187,000 bu
Local stock contract corn in public elevators Nov. 14, 1898	7,669,000 bu
Local stock contract corn in public elevators Nov. 15, 1897	16,919,000 bu
Visible supply last week, Nov. 13, 1899	11,909,000 bu
Visible supply same time one year ago	23,529,000 bu
Visible supply same time two years ago	43,439,000 bu
Exports last week	4,604,000 bu
Exports same week one year ago	3,532,000 bu
Exports same week two years ago	3,210,000 bu
Exports since July 1, 1899 (20 weeks)	88,077,000 bu
Exports same time in 1898 (20 weeks)	56,629,000 bu
Exports same time in 1897 (20 weeks)	56,673,000 bu

Receipts of corn at primary points to-day were 516,476 bu, as compared with 612,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 524,696 bu, compared with 628,000 bu same date last year.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis to-day were 49,695 bu, compared with 69,000 bu same date last year. Of these 998 sacks and 54 cars were local, compared with 936 sacks and 48 cars same date last year.

OATS.

The same dull conditions prevailed in oats to-day, seldom the monotonous wearing away of the hours being varied by even bid or offered prices.

The receipts were small and interest, seldom keen, was decidedly light to-day.

May was bid 25⅛c.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis to-day were 15,600 bu, compared with 14,400 bu same date last year. Of these 10 cars were local, compared with 12 cars same date last year.

RYE.

Sample, 52c; grade No. 2, higher.

Receipts—Local, 420; through, 185; shipments, 221.

Quotations for new stock: Timothy—Choice, new, $11@11.50; No. 1, $10@10.50; No. 2, $8.50@9.50; lower grades, $5@8; clover mixed, $8@9; No. 1 clover, $10.50@11; prairie, choice, $8@8.50; No. 1, $7.50.

STRAW—Wheat and oats, $3.50@4 asked East St. Louis; $4 this side; rye, $7@7.50.

BRAN—Sacked, 65½c East Side; 67c this side at the mill.

FLOUR.

Patents	$3 35@3 50
Straights	3 10@3 25
Clears	2 75@2 90
Low and medium grades	2 00@2 65
Pearl meal, hominy and grits	2 00
Cornmeal	1 75@1 80
Rye floor	2 85@3 10

SEEDS.

FLAXSEED—$1.27 spot or to arrive.

CASTOR BEANS—Steady at $1.12 per bu for prime.

CLOVER—$4@8.

TIMOTHY—$1.90@2.20.

RED TOP—Prime, $4; fancy, $8.

PROVISIONS.

LARD—Lower; choice, $4.92½; prime, $4.90.

PORK—New pork, $9.

DRY SALT—Shoulders, 5⅛c; extra shorts, 5⅜c; clear ribs, 5⅜c; clear sides, 5⅝c.

BACON—On orders: Boxed lots—Shoulders, 6⅛c; extra short, 6⅛c; clear ribs, 6⅛c; clear sides, 6⅜c.

BEEF—Mess, $8.50 per bbl.; dried, 12@15c.

SUGAR CURED HAMS—10½@11½c.

LEAD AND SPELTER.

LEAD—$4.47½@4.50.

SPELTER—$4.35.

ON THE STREET.

Post-Dispatch quotations are for car load lots in first hands unless otherwise quoted. Butchers, grocers and market men buy selected stock and pay higher prices.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Market active; good demand for choice fruit. Willowtwig, $1.50@2.65 per bbl; Winesap, $1.75@2.50; Geniting, $1.60@2.15; Ben Davis, $1.25@2.50.

QUINCES—$2.50@2.75 per bbl.

PEACHES—Michigan, 40@50c a 1-5 bu basket.

GRAPES—New York Concords, 15c a basket.

LEMONS—New crop, Messina, $3.75@4.00.

LIMES—$1.25 per 100.

ORANGES—Mexican choice, $3.75; Florida, $4.50; Russet, $4.25.

BANANAS—Port Limon, $1.50@2.00.

COCOANUTS—$35.00 per 1000, or $4.00 per 100.

GRAPE FRUIT—Jamaica, $5.00@7.00 per box.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—$2.75@3 per 40-lb box.

PINEAPPLES—Cuban, $2 per doz.

PEARS—Choice Keifers, $4.00 per bbl.

DRIED FRUIT—Scarce and in good demand. Evaporated rings, average receipts, 5½@6¾c; skins, 1@1½c; evaporated quarters, 5@6c for fair to choice.

VEGETABLES.

CABBAGE—Red, 1¼c per lb in bulk; Northern, $2 per crate.

CELERY—White plume, 25@45c a bunch; Michigan, 90c@$1.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, 50c per bu box.

RADISHES—25@30c per doz. bunches.

PARSLEY—Home-grown, 15@20c a dozen.

CARROTS—Northern, 50c per 100 on orders.

POTATOES—Northern, 39@40c; on orders, higher.

TURNIPS—15@25c per bu.

CUCUMBERS—Florida, $1.50 a bu hamper.

SAUERKRAUT—½ bbl, $2.00; per bbl, $3.75.

HORSERADISH—New home-grown, $3.75@4.00 per bbl.

EGG PLANT—Choice Florida, $3.00@3.50 per four doz in boxes.

TOMATOES—Texas, 50@75c per 4-basket crate; Florida, $2@2.50 per 6-basket crate.

NEW SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown, 50c a bu for Bermudas and 75c for red Nansomonds.

ONIONS—Northern globe, choice red, 45@50c a bu; yellow, 30@35c; Spanish, $1.50 per crate.

RUTABAGAS—30c per bu.

BEETS—Northern, 50c per 100 lb.

MUSHROOMS—40@50c per lb.

PEPPERS—New Orleans; nothing doing.

CRANBERRIES—$6 per bbl for choice Cape Cod.

STRING BEANS—Choice Florida, $2.25@2.50 per bu.

SPINACH—Home-grown, on orders, 15c per bu, loose.

PARSNIPS—$1.25@1.75 per bbl.

KOHLRABI—Home-grown, 10c a dozen bunches.

SOUP BUNCHES—25@35c a dozen bunches.

POPCORN—1c a pound.

CAULIFLOWER—$1.75@2 a bbl.

GUMBO—Louisiana, choice, $1.50.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER—Steady and a fair trade; supply fair.

Creamery—		Dairy—	
Extra	26 @26½	Firsts	20 @21
Firsts	24 @25	Extras	22 @22½
Seconds	22 @23	Seconds	11 @12
Ladle packed—		Store packed	12½@13
Extras	19	Grease	3½@4
Firsts	17 @18	Process—	
		Extra	21

CHEESE—Firm. Wisconsin—Full creams, twins, 12c; singles, 12¼c; Y. A., 12¼c; Southern Wisconsin and Illinois—Twins, 10c; singles, 10¼c; Y. A., 10¼c; New York full cream, 12¾c; Limberger, 12½c@13c. Swiss—15c@16c; brick, 13c@13½c.

EGGS.

Receipts, local and through, 1382 cases; shipments, 1197 cases.

Sales at 17c; loss off.

GAME.

Quotations for undrawn birds. Drawn, 25c per dozen lower.

Deer, 9@15c per lb; woodcock, $5 per dozen; snipe, $1.50; pheasant, $6; sand pipers, 25c; rabbits, 90c@$1 per dozen; squirrels, 60@75c per dozen; quail, $1.50.

FROGS—Large, $1@1.25 a dozen; medium, 35c.

LIVE POULTRY—Chickens: Old roosters, 3c; young roosters, 5c; mixed chickens, 6c; straight young, 6½c; ducks, white, 6½c; dark, 5½c; geese, 5½c; turkeys, 7c; pigeons, 60c per dozen.

DRESSED POULTRY—Receipts light; little demand. Mixed chickens, 6c; lowest prices for head and legs on; turkeys, 7c; geese, 5½@6c.

VEALS—Dull, 5@5½c small fat; heretics, 2½@3c.

LAMBS—4c for extra fancy small and fat; sheep, 3c per lb.

ROASTING PIGS—$1.

NUTS.

PEANUTS—Red, 2c per lb; 2½c@4c for white.

WALNUTS—40c per bu.

PECANS—Texas, 8½c; Western, 7c per lb.

HAZEL NUTS—2½@3c per lb.

CHESTNUTS—8@10c per pound.

HICKORY NUTS—80c per bu for shellbark.

WOOL.

Market steady.

Missouri, Illinois, etc.—	
Medium combing	22
Medium clothing	21 @21½
Braid and low	21
Light fine	18 @19
Burry	17 @17½
Hard burry	14 @14½
Burry and clear mixed	19 @20
Iowa, Wisconsin—	
Dark	18 @18½
Bright medium	20 @21
Fine medium	17 @18
Fine	15 @16
Texas, Arkansas, Indian Territory, etc.—	
Medium	19 @19½
Fine medium	16 @18
Coarse and low	16 @17
Kansas, Nebraska and Western—	
Bright medium	20 @20½
Fine medium	16 @18
Light fine	15 @17
Heavy fine	13 @14
Dark medium	18 @18½
Dakota and Western—	
Bright medium	19 @20
Dark medium	17 @18
Fine medium	16 @18
Light fine	15 @17
Heavy fine	13 @14
Tub-washed—	
Choice	30
Fair	26
Burry	22 @23
Black	3@5c less than above
Texas	9½

HIDES, ETC.

HIDES—Quiet.

Green salted, Missouri and Illinois	10¼
Green salted, Arkansas and Southern	10
Dry flint, heavy Texas	18½
Dry flint, average Texas	18
Natives	18
Southern	17½
Dry salted	16
Glue stock	5
On selection—	
Green salted, No. 1	10½
Green salted, No. 2	9½
Dry salted, No. 1	16½
Dry salted, No. 2	15½
Dry flint, No. 1	19
Dry flint, No. 2	17

FEATHERS—Quiet. Prime, white live geese, small sks, 50c; large sks, 48c; gray and quilly, 38@40c; white, old, 36@40c; X, 28@33c; XX, 21@25c; XXX, 13@18c; XXXX, 8@10c. Chicken—Dry picked, 6½c. Duck—Dark at 27@30c; white, 36@37c.

SHEEPSKIN—Market quiet; green salted, full wooled, 65@70c; small, 35@50c; dry, 10c less; shearings, 15@30c; fallen pelts, 8@9c per lb, according to quality and condition.

DEERSKIN, ETC.—Deerskin quotable at 25c per lb for prime; damaged, half price. Antelope, 12c. Goatskins, 20@35c each.

BEESWAX—Prime, 25c.

TALLOW—Market firm; No. 1 oil bbls, 4½c; No. 2, 4@4¼c.

SALT—80@85c per bbl East track.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The strength of Liverpool was the factor at the opening of wheat to-day, initial prices being ⅛@¼c over yesterday, December 67¼@67⅜c and May 71⅝@71⅝c. Trading was dull and figures for some time were unchanged from the opening to a shade higher. Northwest receipts were moderate, but larger than a year ago, as the movement then was interrupted by a blizzard. Duluth and Minneapolis reported 634 cars, compared with 681 last week and 328 the corresponding day last year. Receipts here were 47 cars, 19 of contract grade. The strength of Liverpool was reported largely due to an improved spot demand.

Corn was strong, opening a shade over yesterday, December at 32⅝@32¾c and May at 33⅜@33½c. December advanced slowly to 33c. The recent rains and predictions of more were factors in the strength, buying being accelerated, however, by the strength of wheat and of cables. Receipts here were 141 cars.

Oats were steady, influenced by the strength of corn, but trade was light. December opened a shade down at 23⅛c, and May a shade better at 24½c. There was some changing of December contracts for May.

Provisions were firm with grain, local shorts covering. Trade was light and hog prices a trifle lower. January pork opened 5c up at $9.57½; January lard unchanged at $5.12½, and January ribs a shade up at $4.97½.

The strength derived from Liverpool apparently was not enough to last the session through and though there was no late news of a pronounced bearish character, considerable liquidation, chiefly of December, took place, and the close was at the bottom, December ¼@⅜c under yesterday, at 66⅞@67c, and May ¼c lower at 71⅛c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Close: Wheat—Dec., 66⅞@67c; May, 71⅛c. Corn—Nov., 32⅛c; Dec., 32¾@32⅞c; Jan., 31⅞@32c; May, 33½c. Oats—Nov., 23⅛@23¼c; Dec., 23⅛@23¼c; May, 24⅜c. Pork—Nov., $8.05; Dec., $8.05; Jan., $9.50; May, $9.62½. Lard—Nov., $4.87½; Dec., $4.87½; Jan., $5.10; May, $5.27½@5.30. Ribs—Nov., $4.85; Dec., $4.85; Jan., $4.92½@4.95; May, $5.07½@5.10.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Butter firm; creameries, 17@25c; dairies, 14@22c. Eggs easy; fresh, 17½@18c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Poultry weak; turkeys, 9½@10c; chickens, 6@7½c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red, 68¼@69½c; No. 3 do, 65@67⅜c; No. 2 hard winter, 64@65½c; No. 3 hard winter, 60@64c; No. 1 Northern spring, 68@70½c; No. 2 Northern spring, 66@70½c; No. 3 spring, 63@70½c. Corn—No. 2, 33@33½c; No. 3, 31⅞@33½c. Oats—No. 2, 24c; No. 3, 23¼@23⅞c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 22.—Close: Wheat—Dec., 61c; May, 66c. Cash, No. 2 hard, 64c; No. 3, 59@63c; No. 2 red, 70@71c; No. 3, 65@68c. Corn—Dec., 28⅝c; May, 29⅞c. Cash, No. 2 mixed, 29¼@29½c; No. 2 white, 29½c; No. 3, 29c. Rye—No. 2, 48c. Hay—Choice Timothy, $8.50@9.00; choice prairie, $7.00@7.25. Butter—Creamery, 20@23½c; dairy, 15@18c. Eggs—Fresh, 16½c. Receipts—Wheat, 34 cars.

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 22.—Corn higher; No. 2, 32⅜c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 24½@24⅝c. Whisky firm on the basis of $1.23½ for finished goods.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Butter—Receipts, 3352 pkgs; strong; Western creamery, 22@26½c; June creamery, 21@24½c; factory, 15½@18c. Cheese—Receipts, 3202 pkgs; firm; small Sept., 12½@12¾c; finest Oct., 12@12¼c; large fancy Sept., 12½@12¾c; large Oct., finest, 11½c. Eggs—Receipts, 6729 pkgs; quiet; Western ungraded at mark, 14@20c. Sugar—Raw steady; refined steady; crushed, 5 9-16c; powdered 5¼c; granulated, 5 3-16c. Coffee firmer; No. 7, 6⅞@6¾c.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 22.—Wheat steady, ¼@⅜d higher; Dec., 5s 9¼d; March, 5s 11d; May, 5s 11d. Corn firm, ¼@½d higher; Dec., 3s 6½d; Jan., 3s 6¾d; Feb., 3s 6¾d; May, 3s 6d.

COTTON.

LOCAL MARKET—Steady, unchanged; sales, none.

Quotations:

Ordinary	5⅞c
Good ordinary	6¼c
Low middling	6⅞c
Middling	7¼c
Good middling	7 9-16c
Middling fair	8 1-16c

Tinges and stains, ¼@⅜c below white.

WAREHOUSE STATEMENT TO-DAY.

	1899-1900	1898-9.
Net receipts to-day	2,013	1,923
Net receipts since Sept. 1	79,343	70,262
Net shipments to-day	1,482	485
Net shipments since Sept. 1	46,097	28,238
Gross receipts to-day	9,453	11,531
Gross receipts since Sept. 1	332,472	297,645
Gross shipments to-day	8,922	10,093
Gross shipments since Sept. 1	299,227	264,432
Stock on hand	98,051	67,101

LIVERPOOL—Spot business good; prices unchanged; uplands, 4½d; sales, 12,000 bales; futures closed barely steady; Nov., 4 1-64d; Nov. and Dec., 3 63-64 d b; Dec. and Jan., 3 62-64d b; Jan. and Feb., 3 61-64d b; Feb. and March, 3 60-64d s; March and April, 3 60-64d s; April and May, 3 59-64d s; May and June, 3 59-64d s.

LIVE STOCK.

National Stock Yards.

NATIVE CATTLE—Receipts, 1500. Market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
11 steers	1297	$4 85
3 steers	773	4 00
21 steers	805	4 10
10 steers	738	3 50
2 heifers	905	4 50
2 heifers	835	4 40
3 heifers	883	4 15
8 heifers	436	4 40
1 heifer	850	4 10
1 heifer	850	4 00
2 heifers	660	3 40
4 calves	117	6 50
5 cows and calves		37 00

TEXAS CATTLE—Receipts, 1800. Market shade lower.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
150 steers	880	$3 75
2 steers	870	3 10
19 steers	719	3 60
6 steers	925	3 15
10 Arkansas cows	659	2 40
4 Arkansas cows	680	2 60
28 Arkansas cows	764	2 75
12 Arkansas mixed	771	3 25
5 Arkansas heifers	408	2 75

SHEEP—Receipts, 900. Market slow; dull.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
21 lambs	79	$5 10
59 lambs	67	4 60
85 lambs	72	4 50
28 lambs	68	4 25
21 natives	124	4 00
57 Southwest sheep	98	3 65

HOGS—Receipts, 6000. Market opened steady to strong, closing easy.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
60	260	$4 07½	64	287	$4 05
69	210	4 02½	65	204	4 02½
69	224	4 02½	21	205	4 02½
66	245	4 02½	57	246	4 02½
63	265	4 00	62	211	4 00
77	216	4 00	18	188	4 00
84	200	4 00	70	219	4 00
11	219	4 00	92	205	3 95
81	184	3 97½	72	215	3 97½
71	242	3 97½	79	179	3 92½
54	176	3 90	53	151	3 85
22	130	3 85	24	61	3 80

HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 350. Market holding strong in the Southern division. Good Eastern in demand, but little suitable stock offered.

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; choice cattle strong; others shade lower; butchers' stock about steady; feeders quiet; canners steady; beeves, $4.40@6.90; cows, $3@4.40; heifers, $3.50@5.50; canners, $2@3; stockers and feeders, $3@4.65; Texas grass steers, $3.25@4.25; Texas fed beeves, $4.25@5.50; Westerns, $4@5.70. Hogs—Receipts to-day, 36,000; to-morrow, 34,000; left over, 2071; slow; shade lower; mixed and butchers, $3.80@4.07½; good to choice heavy, $3.90@4.07½; rough heavy, $3.75@3.90; light, $3.80@4.05; bulk of sales, $3.95@4. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; dull; native wethers, $3.60@4.30; Western wethers, $3.75@4; lambs weak; native lambs, $4@5.20; Western lambs, $4.75@5. Official receipts and shipments yesterday: Cattle—Receipts, 6300; shipments, 1612. Hogs—Receipts, 25,535; shipments, 3097. Sheep—Receipts, 14,177; shipments, 145.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000 natives, 2000 Texans; market steady; native steers, $4.25@6.00; Texas steers, $3.15@4.85; Texas cows, $2.25@3.00; native cows and heifers, $2.00@4.30; stockers and feeders, $3.55@4.40; bulls, $2.75@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market steady to shade lower; bulk of sales, $3.90@3.95; heavy, $3.90@3.97½; packers, $3.92½@3.95; mixed, $3.90@3.95; light, $3.80@3.97½; yorkers, $3.90@3.97½; pigs, $3.70@3.90. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market steady to weaker; lambs, $4.50@5.25; muttons, $2.75@4.00.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 700; market steady; top, $5.85. Hogs—Receipts, 4600; market 2½c higher; bulk, $3.90@3.97½; top, $4.00. Sheep—Receipts, 300; market steady.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2600; market active, steady. Native beef steers, $4.60@5.90; Western steers, $4.30@4.80; Texas steers, $3.75@4.30; cows and heifers, $3.10@4.00; canners, $2.25@3.00; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.75; calves, $4.00@6.50; bulls, stags, etc., $2.50@3.60. Hogs—Receipts, 9700; market shade to 5c lower. Heavy, $3.80@3.92½; mixed, $3.85@3.90; light, $3.87½@3.92½; pigs, $3.80@3.90; bulk of sales, $3.85@3.90. Sheep—Receipts, 1500; market steady. Native muttons, $4.15@4.40; Western muttons, $3.85@4.10; stock sheep, $3.60@3.95; lambs, $4.00@5.10.

New York Stocks.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 22.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amer. Car & Fry. com	17	17¼	17	17
Amer. S. & W. com	48¾	49	48¼	48⅝
Amer. Tin Plate com	34¼			34¼
Amer. Tobacco com	22⅝	[illegible]	22⅜	23⅛
do pfd	66¼	66	66	66⅛
Anaconda Mining Co	46	46	45¾	45¾
Atch. Top. & S. F.	22⅞	23⅛	22⅞	23⅛
do pfd	66¼	66½	66	66⅛
do 4s	99⅝	99⅝	99¼	99⅜
Atch. Adj. 4s	82⅝	82⅝	82⅛	82½
Baltimore & Ohio com	54⅝	55	54⅜	54⅞
do 1st pfd	76	76½	75⅞	76⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88	88⅝	87⅝	88⅝
Canada Southern	54⅞	54⅞	54⅛	54⅛
Ches. & Ohio	28⅛	29	28⅛	29
C. B. & Quincy	132½	132⅝	132⅛	132½
C. Gt. West. com	14⅛	[illegible]	14	14⅜
do pfd A	82	[illegible]	82	82⅛
do pfd B	31⅝			41⅝
C. C. C. & St. L.	61⅝	64⅛	60⅛	64
Colo. Fuel & Iron	52⅛			54⅛
Colo. South. 1st pfd	49⅞			49⅞
do 2d pfd	19	19	18¾	18¾
Tont. Tob. com	42⅝	42¼	42⅛	42⅜
do pfd	91⅝	92	91½	91⅞
Cotton Oil com	37⅞	37⅞	37	37
do pfd	93			93
D., L. & W.	190¼	190¾	190¼	190¾
Delaware & Hudson	122⅞	123¼	122½	123⅛
Erie pfd	37⅞	38	37¾	38
Federal Steel com	58⅝	58⅝	57⅞	58½
do pfd	80⅜	80⅝	80⅜	80½
General Electric	127¾	130¼	127¼	129⅞
Illinois Central	115			115
Iron Mtn. 5 p. c. bonds	110			110
Jersey Central	124	124¼	123⅞	124¼
Laclede Gas com	75¼	76¼	74¾	76⅛
Louisville & Nashville	86¼	86¼	86	86⅛
Lead com	30⅞	30⅞	30⅝	30⅝
Met. Traction Co.	194½	194½	193⅝	194⅝
Missouri Pacific	48⅛	48⅛	48¼	48⅛
do 2ds	70¼			70¼
Mann. Elevated Con	103⅝	104¼	103⅛	104
North American	16½	16½	15¼	15⅝
Northern Pacific com	55⅜	55⅝	55⅜	55⅝
New York Central	137¾	137⅞	136⅞	137⅞
Norfolk & Western com	27½	27½	27¼	27⅝
Ontario & Western	26	26⅜	25⅞	26⅜
Pacific Mail	44⅞	45	44½	45
People's G. L. & C. Co.	113⅝	113⅞	113⅛	113⅞
Phil. & Reading	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
do 1st pref	59⅝	60⅛	59⅝	60⅛
do 4s. cfs	87	87⅛	87	87⅛
Rock Island	113⅞	113⅞	113⅛	113⅜
Rubber common	48⅛	48⅛	47⅜	48
St. L. & S. W. com	13⅜	13⅜	13	13
do pfd	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	32¼
St. L. & S. F. com	10⅝			10⅝
Southern com	13⅛	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜
do pfd	57⅛	57⅜	57⅛	57⅜
Steel Hoop com	45⅝	46	45	45⅞
do pfd	82½			82½
St. Paul com	125⅜	125⅝	125⅛	125⅝
Sugar common	157	157⅝	155¼	157⅛
Tennessee Coal & Iron	113⅛	113½	111⅛	112⅝
Texas Pacific	18⅝			18⅝
Union Bag & Paper pref	70			70
Union Pacific	49⅝	49⅝	49	49⅝
do pref	76⅝	76⅝	76⅛	76⅝
U. S. Leather com	21¾	23	21	22
do pfd	81	82¼	81¼	81¾
Western Union Tel	88	88	87⅝	87⅝
Wabash pfd	23	23	22⅞	23
Southern Pacific	43⅛	43⅝	43⅛	43⅜

Sales to noon, 206,300; total sales, 401,403.

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U. S. 2s reg. 2 in coin 1900 Q from May	99½	...
U. S. 4s cp.. 4 in coin 1907 Q from Jan	113	113¾
U. S. 4s reg. 4 in coin 1907 Q from Jan	113	113¾
U. S. 5s reg. 2 in coin 1904 Q from Jan	111	111¾
U. S. 5s cp.. 5 in coin 1904 Q from Jan	111	111¾
U. S. 4s reg. 2 in coin 1925 Q from Jan	132¼	132¾
U. S. 4s cp.. 4 in coin 1925 Q from Jan	132¼	132¾
U. S. 4s reg. 3 in coin 1918 Q from Jan	109¼	109¾
U. S. 4s cp.. 3 in coin 1918 Q from Jan	109¼	109¾

St. Louis Bank Clearings.

To-day's clearing house statement shows clearings, $5,417,718; balances, $428,201.

New York Money and Enxchange.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Money on call firm at 7 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange easier with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85½@4.85¾ for demand and at $4.81@4.81⅛ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.82½@4.87; commercial bills, $4.81¼. Silver certificates, 59@59½c; bar silver, 59c; Mexican dollars, 47⅜c.

Government bonds strong; 2s, reg., 101; 3s, reg., 109½; do coupon, 109½; new 4s, reg., 132¼; do coupon, 132½; old 4s, reg., 113; do coupon, 113; 5s, reg., 111; do coupon, 111.

Wall Street.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Prices of most stocks were higher at the opening, the widest changes being found amongst the industrials. But no change exceeded a fraction. A few prominent stocks were on the side of losses. Sugar, after opening up a fraction, fell below last night.

There was a general decline after 11 o'clock. The specialties bore the brunt of the selling, Sugar and Tennessee Coal losing 2 points and many others a point. Towards midday the general tone was better, but the dullness was pronounced. Realizations continued on a large scale in Wabash debentures. The bond market otherwise was irregular in tone.

Business was fairly large, but the activity and strength were centered in special stocks. Gains of 1 to 2 points occurred in the Coalers, the New York public utilities, General Electric, Sugar and Steel Hoops. Evidence of support in Leather induced heavy covering, which lifted it 2⅛ to 23. A large number of the usually dormant stocks showed some improvement, but there was little of interest in the leading railways.

Prices hardened after 2 o'clock, but the market continued narrow. Baltimore & Ohio rose an extreme 1⅝ and Sugar, after falling below 156, rose above 157. Prices eased off in the late dealings and the close was rather unsettled and irregular, with small net gains the rule.

RIVER FILLED WITH LOGS.

Disaster Caused by the Breaking of a Boom.

GRAND FORKS, B. C., Nov. 22.—By the breaking of a boom across the north fork of Kettle River, two miles above Grand Forks, a million and a half of sawlogs were swept away, a swelling mass of grinding timbers swept down the stream, swollen by recent rains, carrying destruction in its path. Half a mile below the starting point the river, at the site of a smelter dam already half finished, is compressed into a canyon scarcely 12 feet across. Through this channel the logs, piled 20 feet high, came with a deafening rush, tearing out portions of the false work and cofferdams, after having swept away a temporary bridge a quarter of a mile above. Another bridge opposite the smelter site was carried away. The logs struck the city bridge and piled up 10 feet high, but the bridge remains firm. The loss will fall upon the Granby Smelter Co., who owned the logs.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

BAKER—Sit. wanted as practical baker or as assistant pastry cook; hotel preferred; can meet all demands. Ad. F 86, Post-Dispatch.

BARBER—Experienced barber from the country wants permanent position; asks a trial. Ad. 2745 Clark av.

BOOKKEEPER—With practical experience desires employment. Ad. N 8, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. wanted by a boy of 17; would like to work in store or do anything. Ad. L 10, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situation wanted by boy of 17 to work in store or factory. Ad. P 9, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. wanted by good boy of 15, for any kind of work. 3157 Clifton pl., rear.

BUTCHER—Sit. wanted by butcher in meat market, with a large West End trade. 5569 Wells.

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by carpenter; can do any kind of work; will work for $2 a day. Ad. N 5, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Elderly man wants work; good night clerk or weighman; handy with tools; do odd jobs. Hunter, 1228 Spruce.

DRIVER—Situation wanted as driver on express wagon; well acquainted with streets. Call or write Charles E. Tozier, 3239 N. Broadway.

DRIVER—Wanted, position as driver by sober and reliable man; with present employer 2 years; can give references. Ad. R 10, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Situation wanted by a good, licensed engineer; understands his business and not afraid of work; best of references; city or country. Ad. O 5, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted; experienced with all kinds of machinery. Ad. G 11, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by engineer or fireman; can blacksmith or horseshoe; good reference. S. D. Gilmore, 4134 Natural Bridge rd.

FIREMAN—Wanted, a position as fireman by a reliable, sober man, who is thoroughly acquainted with the various systems of steam heating, repairing and other kinds of work around institutions and private residences. Ad. M 5, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Situation wanted by young colored man as houseman or porter; best references. 1914 N. Taylor av.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. wanted by sober, willing worker; understands in and outdoor work; no slouch. Ad. X 10, Post-Dispatch.

JANITOR—Situation wanted by a colored man as janitor for public or private building; no bad habits; good recommendations. Ad. A. B., 2819 N. 10th st.

JANITOR—Situation wanted by a negro man of experience as janitor; applicant capable of 1st-class service; refs. Ad. P 9, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man, 18, wants position in office and to do collecting; $25; will work free one week. Ad. A 11, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Will pay $50 to any one securing me position on street railroad. Ad. P 4, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wants steady sit.; experienced with horses, cows, poultry, furnaces, gardens, flowers; generally handy, etc.; reference. Ad. A 10, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted on gent's place in country by man; can milk cow, tend garden or be generally useful. Ad. D 11, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by an English seaman, tending furnace and housework; handy with tools; best city references. Eden, 410 N. 7th st.

MAN WANTED—Goodyear stitcher on men's shoes. Desnoyers Shoe Co., 12th and Locust sts.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man at any kind of work; city or country. Ad. E 10, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man of 20 wants to do office work or other light work. Ad. W 4, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by strong young man as fireman and assistant engineer; well posted on steam boilers, engines and electrical machines. Ad. K 10, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Capable man wants work on books, billing, collecting, etc., in retail store; nominal salary; would board with employer; best of references. M., Camp Jackson Station, city.

MAN—Situation wanted by colored man, sober and experienced, in general work; city or country; milking, attending horses and furnaces; now employed; will be until Dec. 1. Address E. H., Sutter P. O., St. Louis County.

MAN—Situation wanted to do any kind of work in exchange for room and board. Ad. D 6, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man of 22 wishes position in the liquor business to learn mixing drinks; willing to work for small wages and board. Ad. C 98, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation by a medical graduate as medical director and diagnostician; also teacher of anatomy, physiology, etc., and assistant, with a magnetic and massage healing institute on salary or percentage of business. Ad. Dr. S., Box 554, Rockford, Ill.

REPAIRER—Stove repairer wants work; handy with other tools; steady, reliable. Ad. D 10, Post-Dispatch.

PAPERHANGER—First-class paperhanger wants paperhanging to do; will work cheap. Ad. R 100, Post-Dispatch.

VARNISHER—Situation wanted by young man; practical varnisher; in furniture store or factory. Ad. O 9, Post-Dispatch.

WAITER—Sit. wanted by experienced tray waiter. 4333 Vista av.

WATCHMAN—Strong, able bodied, intelligent young man wants night work. J. McGinn, 1503 N. 11th st.

WATCHMAN—Sit. wanted as watchman or janitor by middle-aged man; good references. W. Talbot, 3500 N. 9th st.

WALL PAPER CLEANING—Wanted, wall paper to clean; 8 years' experience in this work exclusively; send postal; will call. J. Neal, 222 Marion st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BOYS WANTED—To try Harris' $1.98 shoes; made for good wear. 520 Pine st.

BOY WANTED—Errand boy; aged 14; willing to work; good opportunity to advance. 720 N. Main st.

BOOTBLACK WANTED—Colored bootblack. 702 Chouteau av.

BOY WANTED—Neat boy for office work; a hustler. 508 Holland bldg.

BOYS WANTED—2 elevator boys. Schaper Bros., Broadway.

BOY WANTED—11, neat appearance, to deliver and collect; must be able to furnish small deposit; $4 per week. Ad. E 11, Post-Dispatch.

BUFFER WANTED—1st-class buffer to polish copper cans. 1903 Locust st.

BUGGY WASHER WANTED—A good buggy washer. 2801 Laclede av.

CANDYMAKER WANTED—An experienced candymaker, at 1003 N. Broadway.

CARRIAGE TRIMMER WANTED—1st-class carriage trimmer at once. Snyder Wagon Co., Ltd., Shreveport, La.

CIGAR MAKERS WANTED—705 N. 3d st.

CLERK WANTED—Grocery clerk and solicitor, with experience. 799 Bayard av.

COOK WANTED—Good cook, for small restaurant; must be sober man and active. 5 Locust st.

COUPLE WANTED—Elderly German couple to live and work on small farm near St. Louis, for their board; light work. Ad. F 10, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Registered; bring references. 2744 Cass av.

DRIVER WANTED—Good freight driver. Ad. O 10, Post-Dispatch.

HELPER WANTED—A blacksmith's helper, on heavy work. 10 Bridge entrance.

HARNESSMAKERS WANTED—A few harnessmakers. Apply Meyer, Bannerman & Co., 616 N. 6th st.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—1st-class colored man for general housework and dining room. 3841 Delmar bl.

LABORERS WANTED—13th and Locust sts.; Thursday. McMahon & Cooney.

LABORERS WANTED—$1.75 per day, on Channing av., Laclede to Cook; street railway work. Fruin-Bambrick Const. Co.

MAN WANTED—Willing to work cheap, to wash dishes. Apply at 1707 S. 7th st.

MAN WANTED—Good reliable man; must be hustler. Am. Wringer Co., 2781 Franklin.

MEN WANTED—At American Car & Foundry Co., St. Charles, Mo., first-class wood working machine men on cabinet work.

MEN WANTED—Men to stop at Grace Hotel, 414 Market; rooms, 25c a day; $1.50 week and up.

MEN WANTED—20 rock breakers, on Levee and Dickson st. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN WANTED—Reliable persons in every section to distribute circulars, samples and tack signs; no canvassing; cash paid. Will A. Molton Co., Cleveland, O.

MAN WANTED—To take care of horses and work around grocery store; must be sober. Call 3400 Chestnut st.

MAN WANTED—Cashier, for restaurant corporation, doing large business; competent people only; $500 cash bond required. St. Louis Investment Co., 919 Olive st.

MAN WANTED—Good man dishwasher; lunch room, 22d and Pine sts.

MEN WANTED—Corn huskers, wood choppers and haulers; on my place. C. H. Evans, 915 Locust.

MAN WANTED—Colored man for house cleaning. Call on Richards, 1804 Franklin av.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

MAN WANTED—Man who understands care of horse and carriage and to do general work around the place; must be perfectly sober and careful driver. 3628 Castleman av.

MEN WANTED—To learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required; positions positively guaranteed; we have places for 500 barbers Jan. 1; come now and complete for these jobs; no expense to learn if you will work for us; call or write at once. Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—At 8th and Lucas av. Tim Moloney.

PAINTER WANTED—Good house painter. Ad. L 11, Post-Dispatch.

PLATER WANTED—Who understands brass plating and gold striking on metal picture corners and metal frames. Apply 1422 Cass av.

PRESSFEEDER WANTED—Job pressfeeder. Buschart Bros., 1516 Locust st.

PROOFREADING taught by mail; thoroughness without serving apprenticeship; compensation, $18 to $35 weekly; situations always obtainable. Home Correspondence School, Philadelphia.

PRESS WANTED—Cylinder press, four rollers that will take sheet 28 by 42 or larger. Ad. A. Q. Co., 544 Delaware st., Kansas City, Mo.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary. 1214 Franklin av.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Trimming and lining cutters. L. B. Joslin Shoe Co., n. w. cor. Biddle and Collins.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—Good, steady shoemaker, to go to the country; must come well recommended. James Clark Leather Co., cor. 3d and Vine sts.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Experienced trimming cutters on men's shoes. Tennent-Stribling Shoe Co.

TAILOR WANTED—A good, experienced tailor. 1021 Vandeventer av.

UPHOLSTERERS WANTED—1942 N. 2d st.

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For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. BRAUER'S, 219 Locust st.

SALESMEN WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

SALESMAN WANTED—Salesman who is acquainted with city grocery trade; must be able to invest $300 and come well recommended; $8 per week and interest in the business. Ad. G 9, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN WANTED—Specialty; sells to every negro; we credit you; particulars free; sample free; a rare chance. Boston Chemical Co., Richmond, Va.

SALESMEN WANTED—Traveling salesmen; salary, $100 and extras; experience not absolutely necessary, but must be a worker. Address, for 10 days, Lock Box 623, St. Louis, Mo.

SALESMAN WANTED—To sell our full line of choice nursery stock; a printed guarantee that stock shall be true to name given to each customer; write for terms. Mount Hope Nurseries, Lawrence, Kan.

AGENTS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS WANTED—To sell books; big money. Great American Publishing Co., 80 Turner bldg.

AGENTS WANTED—Send 10c for sample coffee pot strainer; sells at sight; 300 per cent profit. Jeff Freeman, 325 Lackawanna av., Scranton, Pa.

AGENTS WANTED—Photo; salary; give away tickets; $35 a week. Bischof, 1503 Washington.

AGENTS WANTED—New patent article of merit, needed in every house; 200 per cent profit; territory giving monopoly free; call and investigate. C. Johnson, patentee, 16th and Pine sts.

AGENTS WANTED—Big money for good agents; absolutely a new thing; none but hustlers apply. Room 4, 511 Pine, bet. 12 and 4 Thursday p. m.

AGENTS WANTED—Just out—guitar chord attachment; any one can play; 25 cents; agents and dealers wanted. Shaw Instrument Factory, Decatur, Ill.

AGENTS WANTED—We pay $18 a week and expenses to men with rigs to introduce our poultry compound; send stamp. Javelle Co., Dept. H, Parsons, Kan.

NEW ticket; big offer to agents; ex. com. 25c on tickets used; paid week. Genilli, 923 Olive st.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS.

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COLLECTORS WANTED—Two first-class collectors and solicitors; call Thursday morning at 8:30 a. m. 619 Fullerton Bldg., 7th and Pine. Wm. Drew.

SOLICITOR WANTED—Solicitor to sell tickets for charity. Ad. K 6, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 words or less, 5 cents.

BOOKKEEPER—A young lady desires a position as assistant bookkeeper, cashier or office work; moderate salary. Ad. F 5, Post-Dispatch.

CASHIER—Sit. wanted as cashier or office assistant by up-to-date, refined, experienced young lady. Address O 6, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Situation wanted in private family by colored woman; willing to do cooking and laundry work. 3908 Fairfax av.

COOK—Situation wanted by experienced cook or general housework in small family of adults. 3439 Olive st.

COOK—A good, reliable girl wants work in a small family; a good cook; no postals; references. 1913 Morgan st.

COOK—Situation wanted by experienced cook; best of references. 912 N. Leonard av.

COOK—Sit. wanted by middle-aged woman to cook; expert; in private family or boarding house; no objection to country. 924 N. 15th st.

COUPLE—Sit. wanted by young colored couple in private family. Call or address 706 N. 15th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by German girl to assist with light housework. Call 2649 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl for general housework. Call 1417 Madison st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl for general housework. Call 3026 Rutger st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted as housegirl or dining room work. Ad. 3012 S. 9th st., rear.

HOUSEGIRL—German girl wants position to do general housework. 1769 S. Broadway, 3d floor.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted to do general housework. Address 1453 S. 2d st., rear.

HOUSEGIRL—Reliable woman wishes general housework; good home more than large salary; can give refs. Ad. H 6, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Colored woman wants place to do general housework. Call 2228 O'Fallon st., 2d floor.

NURSEGIRL—Situation wanted by honest colored girl as nurse or housegirl. Address 3651 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL, ETC.—Situation wanted by 2 colored girls; one for housegirl, no washing or ironing; one as nurse. 2228 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by 13-year-old girl as nurse or light housework, in respectable family; call or ad. G. Block, 1229 Chouteau.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl for general housework; plain cooking. 1225 Market st.

HOUSEGIRLS—Situation wanted, by 2 German girls for general housework. 3607 Thompson.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl for light housework or housework. Call or write. 3722 Sullivan av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper; good cook; neat and pleasant. Ad. E 7, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Young widow with one child wants position as housekeeper for wealthy widower; no objection to leaving town; experienced and good references. Ad. C 208, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by German woman as housekeeper. Call or address Mrs Niemeyer, 4253 N. Broadway, in rear.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper for widower or in rooming house; call 1336 Franklin, 3d floor; 14th st. entrance.

HOUSEKEEPER—A middle-aged woman wishes a situation as housekeeper or cook. Call at 2638 Hickory st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Position wanted as housekeeper for a widower or bachelor; call for 3 evenings. 814 Salisbury st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position as housekeeper; city or country. Call or address 2656 Keokuk st.; no triflers.

HOUSEWORK—Situation wanted by widow for general housework; can give references. Call at 3109 Adams st.

LADY—Lady traveling in Missouri and Kansas would like salable side line to legitimate trade. Address B 11, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Lady wants light housework or work by the day. 107 S. 15th st.

LADY—Middle-aged lady wants place as housekeeper or cook in lunch place. Ad. M 11, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Young lady of refinement and ability wishes position in office or as model or demonstrater. M., 1804 Locust st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored woman as laundress; good references. 2310 Franklin av., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, to take washing home. Ad. 2219 Morgan st., rear.

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20 words or less, 5 cents.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing to take home. 1913 Whittier st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress; shirts and collars; call or ad. 1429 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—A 1st-class laundress wants washing to bring home. Ad. 2713 Lambdin.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing to take home or go out by the day. Mary Smith, 1521 Gay st.

LAUNDRESS—Lady will do laundry work for rent of basement room. Ad. G 6, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by laundress, by day, or cleaning; city references. 2657 Olive st.

LAUNDRESS—Woman wants washing by the day or house cleaning. Ad. 2008 Mullanphy st.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by laundress to go out by day or take home. 2800 Laclede av., upstairs.

LAUNDRESS—Colored laundress wishes place for Tuesday and Thursday. Ad. 2826½ Easton, upstairs.

NURSEGIRL—Situation wanted as nursegirl; can furnish the best of refs. Ad. P 6, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS—Lady wants sewing to do at home. 304 N. Garrison av., 2d floor.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by an experienced and competent stenographer; can furnish references; good speller. Ad. L 6, Post-Dispatch.

WHEN, maker of best photos and enlargements for Xmas presents. When, 1631 Franklin av.

WAITRESS—Girl wishes few hours' work every day as waitress, office cleaning or care of rooms. Ad. M 10, Post-Dispatch.

WIDOW—Wanted, by young widow, position in gentleman's office; must be light, refined work. Ad. D., P. O. Box 697.

WOMAN—Young woman desires steady place to assist with light work; good home in plain family; call for two days. 1720 Carr st.; no postals answered.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by good, reliable, middle-aged woman for general housework and cooking in private family; no postals. 1319 Elliot av.

WOMAN—Position by trustworthy, capable woman of experience as housekeeper or seamstress; would assist in housework or care for children; no triflers; best references. Apply 908 N. 18th st.

WOMAN—A good and reliable woman wishes 1st-class sit. to cook; call Monday. 2736 Mills st.

WEATHER STRIPS Latest Patent furnished and put on; postals answered. MEYER BROS., 4064 Cottage av.

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CANOLINE—Free sample bottle given to every one; guaranteed to kill bedbugs, roaches, fleas, lice, ticks and heals sores, cuts, burns, stings, bites, etc. Cannon Mfg. Co., 23d and Wash sts.

COOK WANTED—Good cook; no washing or ironing; references required. 2103 Park av.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron. 2804 Dayton st.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook. 1000 N. Grand.

COOK WANTED—Good cook, at 3949 Cook av.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—Truly experienced dressmaker and apprentice with some knowledge of sewing. 3836 Finney av.

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GIRL WANTED—Waist and skirtmaker; best wages in city for expert help. 3148 Olive st.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl. 2102 Market st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced machine girls on vests. 1600 S. Broadway, rear.

GIRL WANTED—Young girl or elderly woman, to take care of children. 1603 Biddle st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girl to help in kitchen, and also German girl to help in bakery. 1931 Franklin av.

GIRL WANTED—Neat girl to work in bakery and coffee house. 506 Market st.

GIRL WANTED—A strong girl to work in kitchen. 506 Market st.

GIRL WANTED—To assist with housework and learn dressmaking; sleep at home. 2915 Washington av.

GIRL WANTED—Vamper and closer on the Union Special machine, on men's fine shoes. Desnoyers Shoe Co., 12th and Locust sts.

GIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist in small family. 3427A Eads av.

GIRLS WANTED—Thoroughly experienced shirt waist hands; power machines; good pay; permanent positions. The Scharff Mfg. Co., 508 Washington av., 3d floor.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat young girl for general housework. 5195A Fairmount av.; take Suburban car.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; family of three adults; good wages. 3676 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no laundry; three in family. Apply 4380 McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1307 Carr st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl or woman for light housework; no washing; apply at once. 1621 Grattan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl, 15 or 16 years old, to assist in housework. Call 1820 S. Jefferson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good place; small family. 4344 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for housework; no washing; small family. 2743 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for house and dining room work in private boarding house. 318 S. 4th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. Apply 1819 Bacon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be good cook; no washing. 3321 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Reliable German girl to assist with general housework; no washing; good home. 4649 Cottage av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking; small family. 1301 St. Ange.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for house and dining room work. 3630 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework, at 1012 Atchison, opp. Carr Park.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework; family of 2; no colored; must sleep at home. 1329A Whittier.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3631 Flad av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3687 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Steady girl for general housework; small family. 3646 Flad av., second floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young German girl to assist with housework in small family. 4240 Cleveland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework, at once. 3844 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; small family. 4442 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3338 West Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; call bet. 6 and 8; German preferred. W. Smith, 1624 Biddle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl, about 15 years old, to assist in light housework. 3044 Easton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 1907 La Salle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; no washing. 2326 Mullanphy st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. Apply 4159 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 2615 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no cooking. 2621 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; family of 3. Inquire 1366 Union bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family. 3436 Chestnut.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. 2712 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small American family. 4344 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 2905 Magnolia.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A neat girl, 18 or 19, to assist with general housework; apply to-day. 2819A Dayton st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small family wants white country girl, who can milk cow, for general housework. Call at 506 Olive st., room 212.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—In bachelor's home; bring references. 4425 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework; small family. 1317 S. 13th.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good woman for housework; family of 3; no washing. 2528A Dodier.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 16, to assist in housework. 4247 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 2907 Barrett st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; at once; in family of 3; good home. 1312 N. 20th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small girl for general housework; in flat. 3223A Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. 2822 Russell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for cooking, assist with housework; $16; also girl for general housework; $14; small family; plain cooking. 2825 Hickory.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—English speaking German girl for general housework. 963 Laurel; Suburban car.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 1420 Salisbury st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; moderate wages; good home. Apply 3200 N. Newstead av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 6028 Horton pl.; take Suburban car.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A competent girl to do housework; must have references. Apply 15 Portland pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 4263A North Market st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework. 1739 Pennsylvania av., between Lafayette and Geyer.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle-aged woman for housekeeper; one without home preferred. 656 Tower Grove av.

LADY WANTED—Young lady; neat sewer, to learn ladies' tailoring; we pay while learning. 1728 Olive st.

LADIES WANTED—To advertise; salary $6; 8 to 4. 821 Chestnut st., room 401.

LADIES WANTED—To learn hair dressing and manicuring by mail or at college; 4 weeks completes; special instructions, practical experience, positions guaranteed. Call or write Moler College, 1141 Market st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—First-class laundress for children's clothes; on Thursdays. 1912 Nebraska av.

MACHINE GIRLS WANTED—Experienced machine girls on vests. 621 Lynch st.

NURSE WANTED—Competent German girl, to take care of children and assist with housework; must have references. 4139 Delmar.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—A good nursegirl. 5170 Cabanne av.

OPERATORS WANTED—50 female operators on shirts and overalls; good wages; steady work. At Premium Mfg. Co., 1008 St. Charles st.

SALESLADY WANTED—Thoroughly experienced dry goods saleslady. West End Bazaar, Vandeventer and Finney avs.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Skirtmakers and corsetmakers; good wages; all winter. Apply Williamson Corset and Brace Co.

STENOGRAPHERS WANTED—Elegant practice, room and employment department; free, free, free. Century Bldg. The Oliver Typewriter Co.

TAILORS WANTED—1st-class tailors on fine custom coats; will pay $8 to $14 a week to the right party; none but 1st-class need apply. 818½ Franklin av., 3d floor.

WAITRESS WANTED—Experienced waitress. 1435 Franklin; restaurant.

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WAIST AND SKIRTMAKER WANTED—Best wages in city for expert help. 3148 Olive st.

WAISTHAND WANTED—An experienced waist and skirthand. 3301 Lucas av.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Woman to do washing, ironing and housework; white or colored; good place for right person. 413 Morgan st.

WOMAN WANTED—A woman to do scrubbing. 506 Market st.

WOMAN WANTED—Competent, energetic woman to assist with cooking, etc.; references. 3431 Franklin.

OPERATORS WANTED.

Experienced, and learners on coats. Steady work. Apply SCHWAB CLOTHING CO., Fifth floor, Olive and 15th sts.

BASTERS WANTED.

Experienced and learners on coats. Steady work. Apply SCHWAB CLOTHING CO., Fifth floor, Olive and 15th sts.

FINISHERS WANTED.

Experienced finishers on coats. Steady work. Apply SCHWAB CLOTHING CO., Fifth floor, Olive and 15th sts.

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THEATRICAL.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

THEATRICAL—Wanted, quick heroic leading man, villain, German dude comedian, for my own company; one-night stands; Turkish bath; special paper; salary sure cash; bank references. Simpson's Theatrical Headquarters, 1520 Olive st.

LOST AND FOUND.

14 words or less, 20 cents.

Lost.

BOOK—Lost, between 8th and Olive and Broadway and Locust, credit book of H. Walker Furniture Co.; please return to Mrs. W. E. Winkler, 2445A Spring av.

DOG—Lost, one fawn colored St. Bernard dog, with white markings; 32 inches high; liberal reward if returned to 2900 Indiana.

NECKLACE—Lost, gold necklace, between 4000 Washington and 4231 Delmar. Reward if returned to 4231 Delmar.

PIN—Lost, turquoise and diamond scarf pin. Return to 2131 Clark av. and receive suitable reward.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, pocketbook, between Cardinal and Sheridan, on Easton av. Finder may keep money if tickets are returned, as cashing them has been stopepd; return to 3032 Easton av.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—About the last of March, 1897, Col. Stephen B. Miles of Falls City, Neb., executed at the St. James Hotel in St. Louis, Mo., his last will and died at Falls City on Oct. 30, 1898. That will has disappeared. Any information concerning it or its execution will be thankfully received by the undersigned, who represents a number of Col. Miles' heirs. Smith P. Galt, Attorney, southeast corner Broadway and Olive st., St. Louis, Mo.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

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BUSINESS CHANCE—Capitalists, we have for sale the good will, stock, fixtures, etc., of one of the largest and most successful wholesale toy houses in the West; business located in Cincinnati; good reaons for retiring. Address communications to Ullman & Robinson, attorneys at law, rooms 105, 108 Lincoln Inn Court, Cincinnati, O.

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BOARDING HOUSE—For sale; 11 rooms; east Grand; elegantly furnished; paying $75 month clear; everything new; cost $1500; for $550; must leave city. McKee-Hartnagel Realty Co., 1134 Chestnut.

CIGAR STORE—For sale, cigar, confectionery, light groceries, notions, branch laundry and bakery; Olive, east Grand; 7 years established; rent $15; sell account death; $125; worth $200; this is a splendid stand. McKee-Hartnagel Realty Co., 1134 Chestnut st.

GROCERY AND VEGETABLE MARKET—For sale; Franklin, east Jefferson; established 11 years; cash trade; going East; bargain; $125. McKee-Hartnagel Realty Co., 1134 Chestnut.

HOTEL—For sale, furniture and business of one of the best-paying hotels in Central Illinois; good town; three railroads; only $2-a-day house in town; ill-health cause for selling. L. A. Lawson, Mount Olive, Ill.

HOUSE—For sale, a furnished house; full of boarders; desirably located; poor health. Ad. P 10, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—Locust, near 18th; for sale; income $15 per day; fixtures; worth $450; sell $350; golden opportunity. McKee-Hartnagel Realty Co., 1134 Chestnut st.

RESTAURANT—Good location; good trade; can clear $50 a month; bargain if sold this week; sickness. Inquire 1513 Olive st., grocery store.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, good paying rooming house; dirt cheap; owner will board as part payment; rare opportunity. 2244 Washington av.

SALOON—For sale; downtown; old established stand; fixtures and stock cost over $1000; satisfactory reasons selling, sacrifice; $350. McKee-Hartnagel Realty Co., 1134 Chestnut st.

SHOE STORE—For sale; small stock; good stand. Address W 10, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BIDDLE ST., 1413—Neatly furnished front room for light housekeeping; cheap.

CHESTNUT ST., 3310—Two front rooms; unfurnished or partly furnished; all conveniences.

CHESTNUT ST., 1113—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen only.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1016—Nicely furnished front parlor, $2.50; back room, $1.75; gents or housekeeping; conveniences.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1018—Furnished room for housekeeping; $2 to $2.25; gas for cooking.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1319—Nicely furnished bright room, suitable for two gents or light housekeeping; bath; all conveniences.

DAYTON ST., 2718—2 connecting furnished rooms, 1st or 2d floor; private family.

EASTON AV., 4123—Two lovely rooms; porch, attic, yards, water in; $8. Key 4101 Easton av.

EASTON AV., 3156—Two or three rooms, on second floor, for housekeeping or otherwise.

EASTON AV., 3010—Lovely front room, unfurnished, $5 month; no children.

ERICSSON, 2608 Locust—Apartments for gentlemen; has library, gymnasium, hot and cold baths.

FAIRFAX AV., 4138—Comfortably furnished rooms for gentleman.

FIFTEENTH ST., 107 S.—2 connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; also large front room, for gentlemen.

FINNEY AV., 3733—Furnished room; 3d story; 2d room; modern conveniences; call and investigate. J. T. Donovan R. E. Co., 813 Chestnut st.

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GARRISON AV., 1213 N.—Two unfurnished rooms, southern exposure, for light housekeeping.

GARRISON AV., 1009 N.—Front and back parlor, unfurnished, basement, bath, cars; reas.

GARRISON AV., 1013A N.—One large newly furnished room; bath, gas; private family; reas.

HICKORY ST., 3316A—3 rooms, 1st floor, $8; key 3316, 2d floor. Keeley, 1113 Chestnut.

HICKORY ST., 1504—Furnished room, for gentleman; in private family; no other roomers.

HOTEL BARNUM—Rooms heated; low rates for the winter; elevator and all conveniences.

LA SALLE ST., 2735—4 nice rooms, in good order; 2d floor; key 1st floor.

LUCAS AV., 3334—2d story front and small room.

LUCAS AV., 2734—Two unfurnished rooms, second floor; rent reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 2719A—Large, bright, cheerful furnished second-floor front room, bath, southern exposure, with folding bed; reasonable to responsible party.

LUCAS AV., 2713—Front and connecting rooms; gentlemen or light housekeeping; hot and cold water, gas.

LUCAS AV., 2636—Two unfurnished rooms; suitable for light housekeeping.

MORGAN ST., 1913—Furnished room for light housekeeping; $1.50 per week.

MORGAN ST., 3902—Two nicely furnished connecting front rooms, for light housekeeping or gents.

MOUND ST., 1011—Nicely furnished hall room; for gent; private family.

NINTH ST., 815 N.—Nicely furnished front and back rooms; gents or light housekeeping. $1.25 week up.

OLIVE ST., 2323—Two comfortable rooms, 2d floor, $8; three rooms 3d-floor front, $10 month.

OLIVE ST., 2841—Handsomely furnished 2d-floor front room, with alcove; corner house; hot bath; gas, furnace heat.

OLIVE ST., 2311—Cosy furnished room, $2 per week; light housekeeping if desired.

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PINE ST., 1303—Elegant furnished rooms; light housekeeping and roomers; $1 per week and up.

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RUTGER ST., 3312—3 rooms upstairs, 2 large rooms downstairs; newly papered and painted; gas and water; rent $9 and $6; keys 3413 Caroline st.

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SIXTEENTH ST., 1439 N.—Completely furnished housekeeping room, with cook stove, water, etc.; reasonable.

SIXTEENTH ST., 114 S.—Suite of rooms, furnished comfortable for housekeeping; $2.50 per week; also single rooms, $1.50 to $2; cook stove.

SHERIDAN AV., 2801—Two nicely furnished front rooms; 2d floor; light housekeeping; reasonable.

SPRING AV., 352—Corner Olive; furnished rooms; very cheap; all conveniences.

TENTH ST., 1723½ N.—Nicely furnished room; second story; $1 week.

TEXAS AV., 1603A—1 or 2 newly fur. 2d story front rooms; all conv.; suitable for housekeeping.

VANDEVENTER AV., 418 N.—Near Olive—Steam-heated rooms; hot bath; furnished or unfurnished; references.

THERESA AV., 926 N.—(Cor. of Bell)—Neatly furnished rooms, light housekeeping; all convs.

TWELFTH ST., 207½ N.—Nicely furnished hall room, second floor.

WASH ST., 1813—Nicely furnished front rooms; gents or ladies or light housekeeping.

WASH ST., 1611—Comfortable furnished front room, with cooking stove.

WASHINGTON AV., 3231—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room; southern exposure; reasonable; references exchanged.

WASHINGTON AV., 2703—Nicely furnished front and side rooms; furnace heat; modern conveniences; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 1503—Newly furnished rooms for gents only; 75c to $2.50 per week; also three connecting rooms; on first floor.

WELLS AV., 5545—2d floor; 3 rooms, bath, laundry; keys downstairs.

WEST END PL., 502—Desirable room, for one or two employed.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BELL AV., 3015—Nicely furnished rooms; furnace heat, bath; private family; home cooking.

BELL AV., 3130½—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms, with or without board.

BOARD—Strictly private family, 4000 West, wishes two ladies employed to room and board; $3 per week; everything first-class. Ad. E 6, Post-Dispatch.

CHAMBERS ST., 1119—Lovely rooms; three or four gents; with or without board; all home conv.

COMPTON AV., 2605—Room and board for two young ladies employed during the day; private family; nice location; terms, $3 each per week.

COOK AV., 3951—Large 2d story front room, with board; all conveniences; gentlemen or couple.

COOK AV., 3683—Room, with board, for one or two gentlemen.

COOK AV., 3846—Nicely furnished front room; good board; bath, fire, gas; $4 per week; private.

DELMAR BL., 3891—Pleasant front room; southern exposure; good board; two gentlemen; desirable.

EAST WHITTIER ST., 1116—Two handsomely furnished, second-story front rooms; modern conveniences; suitable for two or three gents; first-class board.

FINNEY AV., 3750—3d story front hall room; 1st-class board; all conveniences.

FINNEY AV., 4266—Furnished room, with board; gentlemen preferred; in widow's home.

FINNEY AV., 3646—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; terms reasonable.

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FRANKLIN AV., 3501A—Pleasant front room and good board; terms moderate; home comforts; references.

GARRISON AV., 720 N.—Bright, sunny room; board if desired; good location; terms very reas.

LOCUST ST., 2806—Nicely furnished rooms, with board.

LOCUST ST., 2804—Second-story front room and board.

LOCUST ST., 2807—Nicely furnished front room; southern exposure; single room; 1st-class board.

LOCUST ST., 2741—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; steam heat; day boarders solicited.

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LOCUST ST., 3145—Large well furnished 2d story room; excellent board and service; for two.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

LOCUST ST., 2719—Handsomely fur. 2d-story rooms; private family; 1st-class board; terms reasonable; refs.

LOCUST ST., 2631—Nicely furnished 2d-story front rooms; southern and eastern exposure; excellent board.

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LUCAS AV., 2934—Pleasant room, with first-class board; $3.50 per week; furnace heat.

LUCAS AV., 3106—Pleasant room, good board; private family; $4 per week.

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ROOMS AND BOARD—Private family in West End, near Taylor av., will rent well furnished room, with board, to young gentleman or lady, at a very reasonable rate; pleasant home, with all home comforts to the right party; references required. Ad. X 5, Post-Dispatch.

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WASH ST., 1735—Newly furnished rooms; with or without board.

WASHINGTON AV., 2839—2d-story front room; good board; hot and cold water, for gentlemen or couple.

WASHINGTON AV., 3426—2 handsomely furnished connecting rooms; suitable for couple or 2 or 4 gentlemen; every convenience; 1st-class table board.

WASHINGTON AV., 3229—2 connecting rooms; southern exposure; all conveniences; good table; references exchanged.

WASHINGTON AV., 2816—1st-class room, suitable for two gentlemen; steam heat; superior board.

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WEST BELLE PL., 4064—Nicely furnished front room, with or without board; references exchanged.

WEST BELLE PL., 4478—Nicely furnished front room, with board; prices reasonable; home comforts.

WEST CHESTNUT ST., 3423—Nicely furnished rooms; good table; reasonable; 2 proper persons; no boarding house.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BOARDER WANTED—A lady to take room and board with widow lady; must be employed during day. Ad. M 6, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By a young man; private family; near Gamble Park. Ad. G 10, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATES WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

ROOMMATE WANTED—By trained nurse; young woman whose visits call her away during day; oportunity to do light housekeeping; reasonable; references. 3132 Washington av.

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HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

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FLAT WANTED—Between 3500 and 5000 west, Laclede and Easton, steam or furnace heated flat, six or seven rooms, modern; also house in same district of six or seven rooms; give full description; not over $40; steam heat preferred. Ad. X 6, Post-Dispatch.

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ABBE AV., 6520—Also 3039A St. Vincent; five-room flat; hot bath, gas fixtures, $19; 4142A Iowa av., 5-room flat, hot bath, only $15; 3123 Henrietta st., near Compton, 3 rooms, $8.50.

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TWENTY-FIRST ST., 4414 N.—Flat, 1st floor; 4 rooms and bath; nice closets and pantry; $16.50.

VERNON AV., 5570—Elegant stone-front flats; separate furnaces, gas fixtures, front and rear porches; pantries, closets; sanitary plumbing; mosaic bathrooms; all conveniences; janitor, etc.; 5 rooms, $25; 6 rooms, $27.50; see them. J. I. Epstein, 610 Chestnut st.

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CLARA AV., 1311 AND 1319—Two new, eight-room residence; modern; only $25; furnace, cabinet mantels, reception hall. Love & Sons, 209 N. 8th st.

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EVANS AV., 4006—Handsomely furnished flat; 3 rooms; bath; mod. con.; steam heat, to couple.

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CHESTNUT ST., 3011—Store, suitable for restaurant or grocery; rent reduced; $20. McCann & Dowling, 1140 Chestnut st.

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SHOP WANTED—To rent, a shop suitable for wagon making and carriage building; must be a good locality; no objection to country town. Ad. G 7, Post-Dispatch.

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BUSINESS WANTED—I wish to buy interest in good paying business where small capital is required, in St. Louis; 15 years' experience in business. Ad. H 1, Post-Dispatch.

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Wanted.

BUGGY WANTED—To buy a storm buggy, in good condition. Ad. B. Miller, 316 N. Ewing av.

For Sale.

BUGGY, ETC.—For sale, storm buggy, harness and horse; all 1st-class; owner has no use for same at present; will let responsible party have them to take good care of same. Ad. H 11, Post-Dispatch.

BUGGY—For sale, cheap, a fine 2d-hand storm buggy; a fine 2d-hand cut-under surrey. 2004 Morgan st.

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HORSE, ETC.—For sale, black mare and pair of carriage lamps. 3126 Cass av.

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HORSE—For sale, good, sound, gentle horse; cheap; weight 1300 pounds. 2733 Eads av.

HORSE—For sale, horse for buggy or light delivery wagon; cheap. J. Hirshberg, 1407 S. Broadway.

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WAGON—For sale, spring wagon, suitable for gardener or farmer; price $25; cheap at $35. 1422A St. Ange av.

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CASH paid for all kinds of 2d-hand furniture; send postal. R. Thomas, 1537 Washington av.

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PERSONAL—Katie: I would be pleased to meet you. Ad. U 10, Post-Dispatch.

PERSONAL—D. R.: Call at Postoffice for letter Thursday p. m. B. B.

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BATH CABINET—For sale, Quaker bath cabinet. At 3316 S. 9th st., city.

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ON THE TRACK OF AGUINALDO.

Gen. Young Reports That He Has a Clew.

REAR GUARD IS MAINTAINED.

HOPED TO FIND THE FILIPINO LEADER IN BAYOMBONG.

Opinion at Washington, However, Is That Gen. Young Has a Wrong Trail and Will Not Trap His Game.

MANILA, Nov. 22, 12:55 p. m.—Gen. Young reports that Aguinaldo, with a party of 200, including some women and a few carts, passed Aringay, on the coast between San Fabian and San Fernando in the province of Union, Friday, Nov. 17. The General says that Aguinaldo probably intended to strike inland through the Binqua Mountains, towards Bayombong, in the province of Nueva Viscaya.

Gen. Young, with cavalry and Macabebes, is pursuing the Filipino leader, part of the American force taking the direction of San Fernando. In a fight with Aguinaldo's rear guard, at Aringay, one Macabebe was wounded and the insurgents retreated. Their loss is unknown.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Gen. Otis today cabled the War Department as follows:

Manila, Nov. 22.—Dispatch, 21, from Lawton, at Tayug, reports Young with cavalry and Macabebe scouts at Aringay, with advance north to Baoang, rear San Fernando, about to move on trail east to Trinidad. Young reports considerable insurgent force moving in that direction; and that Aguinaldo is in charge seeking to cross over to Bayombong.

Portions of Lawton's troops now being pushed through to Tayug with rations. Battalion Twenty-fourth will join Lawton tomorrow. Nothing from Wheaton for several days. MacArthur operating west of railroad and north of Tarlann. Wire from Tarlann north working; troops on entire railroad line rationed without difficulty.

Iloilo reports seven companies of the Sixth and Twenty-sixth Volunteers, under Dickman, struck insurgents northeast of Jaro; casualties, six wounded. Enemy left on field 18 killed. Dickman captured seven prisoners, four one-pound brass field pieces, several thousand rounds of ammunition. Eighteenth Infantry yesterday drove insurgents north on Santa Barbara. Hughes with column north and west of Santa Barbara; reports of results not yet received.

The dispatch from Gen. Otis does not yet make it appear that the efforts to capture Aguinaldo and the larger portion of his army will be successful. The early intention of Gen. Young to prevent Aguinaldo reaching Bayombong seems evident, but this seems scarcely probable now. Some errors have been made in the transmission of the dispatch. Bayonbong is evidently meant instead of Bayombong. The town given as Tarlann is probably Tarlac, as the situation of MacArthur would indicate that he is operating not far from that place. No alarm is felt regarding the situation of Gen. Wheaton, as he has been for some time beyond telegraphic communication.

Operations are also progressing in the islands south of Luzon, as the portion of the dispatch indicates.

OUR STRATEGY SEEMS USELESS

Aguinaldo, It Appears, Has Escaped With Supplies and Ammunition.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Advices received here from Manila indicate that Aguinaldo has probably escaped by changing the seat of war into the northern part of Luzon. They think he has taken a considerable army with him. This, if true, will necessitate a new series of operations on the part of the American army. Aguinaldo has gained a temporay strategic advantage.

The insurgents apparently have had time to move out their principal supplies and munitions. The American circle of troops has been closed up so far without material resistance, but the captured supplies have proved insignificant compared with those that would be required for Aguinaldo's supposed army in this valley, which was esetimated at from 10,000 to 20,000 men. Their known large quantities of artillery are still unaccounted for.

The opinions of Gens. Otis and Schwan differ somewhat from this view. They say that they do not know whether or not Aguinaldo, with his army, has escaped into the tobacco valley to the north. They believe that Aguinaldo himself has gone. They also believe that a considerable number of the insurgent's force is scattered in small bands within our lines as amigos.

It is impossible to say how large a force Aguinaldo has been able to hold together, or whether, after the losses of the railroad, the people in the north will support him. Aguinaldo's retreat to the north apparently in no way affects the insurgent force south of Manila.

HISTORIC WARWICK FARM.

Sale of the Place Where Guns for the Revolution Were Cast.

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Nov. 22.—The famous Warwick farm of 515 acres in Warwick Township, Chester County, has been sold for $12,000. On this property the old Warwick furnace, probably the first to make iron in the United States, was put into blast about the year 1730, and here many of the cannon used by the patriot army in the Revolution were cast.

In the meadows pieces of ordnance lie buried, having been thus secreted to prevetn them from falling into the hands of the British after the battle of Brandywine, in 1777, when Gen. Washington and his army were retreating northward through Chester County, leaving the furnace exposed to the mercy of the enemy.

Hereford Breeders' Meeting.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—At the annual meting of the American Hereford Breeder's Association, held last night an appropriation of $15,000 was voted, to be used as prize money to be offered Hereford catle exhibitors. Officers were elected as follows:

President, T. F. B. Solham, Chillicothe, Mo.; vice president, Frank Rockefeller, Cleveland, O.; secretary, C. R. Thomas, Independence, Mo.; treasurer, Charles Cudgell, Independence, Mo. Executive committee—Charles Cudgell, Independence, Mo.; H. H. Clough, Elyria, O.; Thomas Clark, Bucher, Ill.

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KIDNEY CURE

The World's Fair finance committee will hold a meeting at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the board room of the Bank of Commerce for the purpose of hearing reports from canvassing committees recently put to work under the reorganization plan. The committee are not, however, expected to report any great success until later in the week.

The campaign started by Charles S. Vogel, chairman of the group on real estate and kindred interests, began Wednesday morning. Real estate owners will ascertain before this campaign ends that a World's Fair is going to be held in St. Louis in 1903, judging from the way Chairman Vogel and his assistants have started about the work.

Mr. August Gehner, who has been placed at the head of the committee to work among real estate owners, had a conference with Secretary James Cox of the Committee of Two Hundred Wednesday morning. Mr. Pierre Chouteau, chairman of this committee, was also present, and the best method of getting at those property owners who were away in the East when a former canvass was made, was discussed.

This real estate owners' committee is one of the largest in the group, consisting of 26 subcommittees of four members each, making a total of 104 men. With these 104 men at work there is no likelihood of any real estate owner escaping an argument for the World's Fair.

The real estate agents have already contributed $140,000, and Mr. J. T. Donovan believes $100,000 additional can be secured by vigorous efforts.

Notes From Among the Workers.

Mr. H. A. Diamont, who took an active part in canvassing hide and wool interests, is still in the service, using his best efforts in behalf of the Fair.

Mr. Ed Devoy, one of the group chairmen, called on Secretary Cox for more blanks Wednesday.

Ex-Gov. D. R. Francis is never so deeply engrossed in private affairs that he cannot find time to talk World's Fair.

Messrs. Woodward and Schotten, group chairmen, are giving a great deal of their time to World's Fair work and the forces under them are being thoroughly organized.

The Fair a Certainty.

From a Letter in the National Hotel Reporter.

The war cry in St. Louis is a World's Fair in 1903.

St. Louis may be termed provincial, but that the moneyed men of the city and the prominent merchants are possessed of indomitable pluck and energy no just minded person will deny. The fight made by St. Louis for the World's Fair of 1893 is something more than a memory; its success in getting political and other conventions beneficial to the city and incidentally to its hotels, has excited the admiration, if not the envy, of more populous cities; and now the whole absorbing topic is the World's Fair proposed to be held in St. Louis in 1903, commemorative of the Louisiana Purchase a century ago.

No lurking feeling of a setback dims the optimistic vision of St. Louisans, and the Fair of 1903 is set down as a certainty.

The aftermath of the Chicago Fair is also not feared, the reasons advanced being that the business conditions of to-day are beyond comparison with those of a decade ago.

Meeting at Real Estate Exchange.

Mr. Charles F. Vogel, chairman of the Group Committee, on real estate and kindred interests of the Reorganized World's Fair Committee, called a meeting of these interests Tuesday at 3 p. m. in the Real Estate Exchange to arrange the work for securing subscriptions from those firms and persons who have not yet agreed to contribute to the stock of the World's Fair.

There was a large and interested attendance. Mr. Vogel announced that he had appointed F. R. Bissell vice-chairman of the committee and chairman of the subcommittee on real estate agents, land companies and hotels, and former Water Commissioner M. L. Holman second vice-chairman of the committee, to look after the surveyors and civil engineers.

Mr. Vogel said that he intended to devote his entire time for the next six weeks to the work, and asked the co-operation of everybody in the group to secure its success.

A letter was read from J. T. Donovan pledging his firm to raise from $3000 to $5000 more.

A large number of those present took slips and began at once to lay out a canvassing tour. From the tone of the meeting, there is no doubt that Mr. Vogel's group will do its ful duty.

CHECKS WERE FORGED

DR. OTTO HENGST CHARGED WITH A SERIOUS CRIME.

HIS CONFESSION FOLLOWED.

He Alleges He Was Mentally Irresponsible Because of Indulgence in Whisky and Morphine.

Dr. Otto Hengst of 2637 Olive street was arrested Wednesday morning and placed in the holdover pending an application for a warrant charging forgery.

Dr. Hengst is demonstrator of anatomy at the St. Louis Medical College. The complaint against him was made by Mrs. Rose Gray, who keeps the boarding house where the physician lived.

Dr. Hengst acknowledged to the police Wednesday that he had committed forgery, but said he was not responsible for his actions. He came here from Berlin, Germany, three years ago. He is 35 years old, of distinguished appearance and was faultlessly dressed when taken to the Four Courts.

Mrs. Gray charges that on Nov. 9 and Nov. 15 Hengst gave her two checks, each for $25, signed with the name of Dr. H. H. Mudd, who has since died, but who was then dean of the St. Louis Medical College, where Hengst was employed. Mrs. Gray alleges she found the checks were bogus and the signatures forgeries.

Acting on Mr. Gray's information the police made a further investigation and found that the name of Dr. J. B. Shapleigh was also used as a signature to bogus checks. A check for $5 was passed on L. C. Galbraith of 2632 Olive street, one for $15 on John W. Howard, a saloon keeper at Garrison avenue and Olive street, and one for $12 on Joseph Daneri, a Chestnut street saloon keeper.

Dr. Hengst acknowledged passing the checks. When arrested he said: "I hardly knew what I was doing. I had been on a long spree and had been using opium besides. I intended to make it all right as soon as I got money."

IS WOMAN SUFFRAGE THE CAUSE

Marked Decrease in Crime and Increase of Insanity Among the Female Population of Colorado.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 22.—Statistics just given out by the State authorities show that while crime among the women of Colorado is rapidly decreasing the number of female insane is growing at a rapid rate.

Strangely enough the decline in the one case and the increase in the other date from the time when the woman suffrage law became operative.

Prominent women here scout the idea that the exercise of suffrage has had anything to do with the increase of insanity, but are not backward in claiming that it is responsible for the decrease in crime.

In 1891 and 1892 the average number of inmates of the insane asylum was 194 males and 102 females. In 1893 and 1894 it increased to 231 males and 135 females. In October, 1899, the males were 310 and the females 179.

In 1893 there were 58 women in the penitentiary; now there are only 11.

ELEVEN IN THE RACE.

Six-Day Bicycle Contest Is Begun in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 22.—Eleven riders started to-day at Convention Hall in the six day, 48-hour bicycle race for the championship of America. They are Charles W. Miller, Chicago, the world's champion long distance rider; Frank Waller, Boston, the 48-hour champion of America; Bert Repine, Nashville, 18-hour champion; Oscar Julius, New York City, late champion of Sweden; Fred Nelson, Chicago, three-time winner of the Pullman Road race; Ed Lingenfeler, Chicago; John Lawson, Chicago, holder of the 40-hour and 100-mile records; John Chapman, Atlanta, Ga.; Gust Lawson, Buffalo, brother of John Lawson, and Oscar Lawson, Buffalo, brother of John Lawson, and Oscar Plummer of Kansas City. T. A. Barnaby of Boston, the 24-hour champion, and Charles K. Hall of Seattle, a Pacific coast record holder, were entered for the race, but had not arrived when the start was made.

The riders will go for eight consecutive hours daily, riding from 1:30 to 9:30 p. m. The purse amounts to $1500 and $100 additional is hung up for a new 48-hour record.

In addition to the six-day race, motorcycle races will be run daily by John Lawson and mate and Frank Waller and mate for a purse of $500.

Supper and Bazaar.—The Cook Avenue Presbyterian Church, Cook and Sarah avenues, will give a bazaar and supper Thursday afternoon and evening, Nov. 23. Many fancy articles will be on sale and a good supper served.

ENGINEER SERIOUSLY SCOLDED

James Wilson Will Be Blind Even If He Recovers From His Injuries.

James Wilson, engineer of the transfer boat, George A. Madill, was scalded from head to foot Tuesday by escaping steam while in the engine room of his boat. His injuries are serious. His physicians say the most dangerous burns are about his head and that if he recovers he will probably lose his eyesight.

Wilson was repairing a mud valve when the accident happened. The valve cock slipped and the steam shot out of the boilers in clouds. The engine room is small and Wilson had closed the door on entering. Instead of running for the door when the steamcap rolled to the floor, he tried to stop the leak by readjusting the cock. He was soon almost stifled and after a minute burst open the door and made his way to the deck, where he fell unconscious.

He was taken to his home at 2815 Lucas avenue, where he was given medical attention.

FOG CAUSES TRAIN COLLISION

One Engineer Was Killed and Three Other Persons Were Hurt in Indiana.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 22.—West-bound passenger train, No. 5, on the Baltimore & Ohio road, ran into the rear end of a west-bound freight train to-day near McCool's Station, Ind., while running at a high rate of speed, causing a bad wreck, killing Engineer Bradford of the passenger train and injuring Engineer Sarder and two firemen.

The accident occurred during a dense fog. The passenger train was drawn by two engines. Engineer Bradford, who was killed, was on the second engine, while Engineer Sarder was at the throttle of the first engine. No one was hurt on the freight train. Both passenger engines, two postal cars and three express cars were derailed and thrown into the ditch.

The officials of the company state that no passengers were injured. The road is still blocked and will probably not be cleared until late this afternoon.

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING.

William Bull Under Arrest and Has Admitted Guilt.

There were no new developments Wednesday in the case of William Bull, who is under arrest charged with smuggling photographic lenses and other goods into the United States.

As told in late editions of Tuesday's Post-Dispatch, Bull confessed to the Federal authorities that he had evaded the payment of custom duties on merchandise through collusion with employes of the Cunard line of steamers. Two large English firms are also said to have figured in the scheme.

Bull is 28 years old, and lives at 2612 Gamble street. He was arrested there Tuesday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal Brennan.

Three of his alleged accomplices in the East are under arrest in New York City. Other arrests will probably be made in the next few days. It is believed the Government has lost thousands of dollars by the operations of Bull and his companions.

INVESTIGATED BY THE CZAR.

Story That the Russian Minister of Finance Manipulated the Bourse.

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—The Deutch Zeitung to-day publishes the following dispatch from St. Petersburg:

"The Czar has instructed Minister of Justice Muravieff to investigate the allegations that M. DeWitte (presumbaly the Minister of France) has been manipulating the bourse to his personal advantage.

M. DeWitte has made an ineffectual attempt at suicide. His wife requested an audience of the Czar, but her request was rejected. Several high financiers and officials are said to be implicated."

Nothing is known in Berlin regarding the statements made in the Deutsche Zeitung dispatch from St. Petersburg. Dr. Miquel, the Minister of France, who is an intimate friend of M. DeWitte, the Russian Minister of France, said to a correspondent of the Associated Press that he knew nothing about the matter except that the antagonism between M. Murafieff and M. DeWitte was of long standing.

BELGIAN PRINCE ON 'CHANGE.

Prince Henry de Croy of Brussels Hospitably Received.

Prince Henry De Croy of Brussels, Belgium, spent Wednesday morning on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange. He was introduced to the members by J. W. Rangton, a long-time personal friend.

The presence of a real, live Prince in the grain pit caused a commotion and trading was momentarily suspended while congratulations and good wishes were showered upon the distinguished visitor. Prince Henry expressed himself delighted by the cordial reception given him and declared the citizens of St. Louis were the most hospitable of any he had met since his arrival in St. Louis. He will stay in this city several days.

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STRIKERS ARE QUIET.

BELLEVILLE AWAITING PRESIDENT DAY'S RESPONSE.

A SETTLEMENT IS HOPED FOR.

Non-Union Street Car Employes Are Armed, but Few Cars Running, and Those Are Empty.

The striking street car men and the people of Belleville were Wednesday anxiously awaiting the reply of President Day to the ultimatum which was submitted Tuesday. At noon there had been no response and it was understood in Belleville that none would be forthcoming until late in the afternoon.

Meanwhile a lot of rumors were being denied. Mr. Koerner denied that he had applied to Judge Burroughs at Springfield, for an injunction and that he never heard of any such proceeding. His business in that city was of an entirely different character. The Sheriff declared he had received no information from the Governor, had not communicated with the Governor, had not started to raise a posse an deemed such movements entirely unnecessary.

The conditions in St. Clair County Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday forenoon approximated the conditions in South Africa. A state of war existed. The Belleville & St. Louis Traction Co. was deploying armed bodies of men. That there were no "casualties" was due solely to the fact that the sympathizers of the strikers did not accept the challenge to measure skill with fire arms. The power house of the Day Electric line is a well-equipped arsenal. The grounds surrounding are an armed camp. Sentinels are uot who challenge all who approach. The cars were armored trains. They were run back and forth at long intervals, loaded with imported men armed with Winchesters and revolvers.

There would have been an armed clash Tuesday night if the company had not reconsidered its expressed determination to run the cars after night. A crowd of 200 men, who, it is reasonable to suppose, were armed, gathered at the western city limits of Belleville determined to resent the operation of the cars under armed guard. No cars came and after waiting two hours the crowd marched up town and dispersed. It was composed wholly of sympathizers, none of the strikers being seen anywhere.

The only car which entered Belleville Tuesday afternoon was the mail car. No resistance was offered to the running of this. It carried no passengers. There were eight men on it, armed with Winchesters. They pointed guns out of the windows at persons standing on the sidewalks.

Two cars were run on the Day line from East St. Louis to the Air Line crossing, west of Belleville. As each car reached the power house at the top of the bluffs on its eastbound trip, it was boarded by from six to 12 guards, carrying Winchesters and revolvers. Some women who got on one of the cars at East St. Louis, not knowing of the trouble, were greatly frightened when they saw the armed men get on. Two of them wanted to get off. The conductor would not permit them to and they began to cry. They were greatly relieved when they reached the end of the run without having to be on the firing line in a pitched battle.

An employe of the road said Tuesday night that there were 75 Winchesters and 10,000 rounds of ammunition at the power house and that an order for more guns had been placed with a St. Louis hardware house.

President Day Tuesday afternoon telegraphed Gov. Tanner requesting that militia be sent to Belleville. The Governor's reply was a suggestion that Day have the Sheriff and County Judge report the facts and conditions to the Governor in detail.

The telegram to the Governor followed interviews with Chief of Police Obst and Sheriff Barnickol. Chief Obst told him there would have been no trouble if it had not been started by the company's armed men. The Sheriff told him if it became necessary he would form a posse, but he saw no necessity as yet. Mr. Day was bitter in denunciation of the authorities after these interviews.

Tuesday night the streets in the center of town were almost deserted. This was mainly due to the fact that it had been rumored Sheriff Barnickol would form a posse, and so strong was the sympathy of the men for the strikers that they did not want to run any risk of being forced to carry arms against them.

The situation is intensified by the fact that the Bricklayers' Union of Belleville has a feud of long standing with President Day. They struck, two years ago, and rather than give in to their demands he closed down his brick yard. It has been closed ever since. Day says he can make more money by letting the yard lie idle. The men say this is because of a trust.

The Trades and Labor Assembly met Tuesday night and indorsed the strike. This is preliminary to the placing of a boycott. After this is done every union man who rides on one of the cars of the company will be fined $1 by his union. Without this penalty, however, none of the union men of Belleville would ride on the lines.

President Day laughs at the action of the Council in declaring that public safety demands conductors on the local cars and ordering them put on under the terms of the ordinance under which the company operates. Members of the Council say that if the ordinance is not compiled with the company's franchise will be annulled. Mr. Day declared Tuesday that he would run the road as he pleased no matter what the City Council and the people thought about it.

The property of the Suburban Line is now under attachment. Tuesday afternoon Dill & Wilderman, who are suing the company for legal services, procured the issuance of the papers and they were placed in the hands of Sheriff Barnickol. He served them Wednesday. The amount involved is $5000.

The examination of the company men who were arrested Monday night on the charge of carrying concealed weapons will take place Nov. 29 before Justice Wangelin.

WATER FILTER BILL REVIVED.

Received First Reading in Council and Has Been Referred.

The City Council at its meeting Tuesday evening, reconsidered its action of the preceding meeting in rejecting the bill providing for experiments in filtration of the City water supply.

The motion to reconsider was made by Mr. Meysenberg. Carroll, Gaus, Kratz and Thuner voted against reconsideration. Besides Meysenberg, votes were cast for reconsideration by Schnell and Gast in favor of reconsideration. These three voted to reject the bill at the previous meeting.

Mr. Meysenberg only stated he thought a mistake had been made in rejecting the bill. It received first reading. At the next meeting it will receive second reading and be referred to a committee.

KING'S LAKE DRAINAGE CASE.

Report of the Commissioners Set Aside by Judge Withrow.

The King's Lake drainage case, brought to Judge Withrow's court on appeal from the Circuit Court of St. Charles County, was decided Wednesday.

The court sets aside the report of the commission on the ground that the wife of one of the commissioners owned property that was affected by the proposed improvements. It will be necessary for the court to appoint another commission to make a new assessment of damages and benefits. The case involves $40,000.

JUDGE WITHROW'S RAPID WORK.

Disposed of 1000 Back Tax Suits Inside of Two Hours.

The back tax docket for the October term of Court was called by Judge Withrow Wednesday, and a new record for the disposal of suits was made.

The docket for the day contained 1000 cases. Judge Withrow called and disposed of all of them in two hours. This is believed to be the fastest work ever done by any member of the Circuit Court.

DISTURBED A GATHERING.

Charles Schmidt Fined on Complaint of Rev. Lichtenstein.

Charles Schmidt was fined $10 and costs by Judge Sidener Wednesday morning on the charge of disturbing a religious meeting.

Schmidt is 17 years old and lives at 1901 Oregon avenue. Rev. Aras Lichtenstein and his wife, Rosa, are conducting a series of meetings at Lafayette and Ohio avenues. It was alleged that Schmidt by his loud and boisterous conduct disturbed the gathering.

END OF PENSION FRAUD CASE.

Francis Valle Declared Innocent and Puckett Found Guilty.

Daniel Puckett's connection with the pension fraud case, in which Francis Valle and Mille Hase were also defendants, will cost him a term of two years in the penitentiary.

Both he and Mille Hase were found guilty by a jury in the United States Court Tuesday evening. A verdict of guilty was returned against Valle, but Judge Adams ordered it set aside. The Court told the jury he would do so, before they rendered the decision.

Judge Adams declared he was convinced of Mr. Valle's innocence; that a man of his reputation and standing in the community would not sell his honesty for $1.50.

Mille Hase was released. She was fined $1000, but will not have to pay.

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LIGHT FOR DARK SPOT

FEDERAL BUILDING UNCLEAN AND FORBIDDING.

WASH IT AND ILLUMINATE IT.

An Urgent Demand on the Part of the Citizens for an Improvement of the Custom House.

> To the Federal Government.
>
> The people of St. Louis respectfully petition for the immediate washing, renovation and illumination of the Federal Building in this City.

The Federal Government Building recognized as one of the most magnificent structures in St. Louis, architecturally, is almost an eye-sore because of its darkness, its blackness and its apparent dirt.

The exterior has never been cleaned. In day time the great square of iron, stone and glass is forbidding; at night it is a mass of inky blackness, casting a shadow over the very heart of the city. The Postoffice is kept open all night, but nobody goes there except under pressure of urgent duty or business.

Pedestrians passing along Olive street on the north side at night invariably cross to the south side when the Custom House corner is reached. The illuminations in front of the adjacent Century Building accentuates the darkness of the Federal Building, and serve to show the necessity for electric lights and cleanliness on the Government's property.

It is a shame to St. Louis and the Washington authorities that the great Custom House Building should be so neglected, when, by the expenditure of a few hundred dollars a year from the Federal Treasury, so much better conditions could be obtained.

In Chicago the Government is constructing a new Postoffice that will be the pride of this whole country. In New York the Government has just finished washing its Federal building and making it again one of the attractive structures of the city.

In St. Louis the necessity for cleanliness and light is even greater, and there should be an immediate movement to remedy the conditions which have thrown the magnificent structure at Eighth and Olive streets into darkness, if not decay.

It is estimated that 10 electric lights on each side of the Custom House would solve the problem making the Government square attractive and showing the classical structure to advantage. Then let the fine granite be restored by washing to its pristine beauty.

Assistant Custodian Ryan favors the suggestions, but he is doubtful whether the appropriation would permit of inaugurating the improvements at this time.

"Our electric plant," he said to the Post-Dispatch, "is taxed to its fullest capacity, so that we could not string any more lights on the circuit.

The building certainly needs cleaning and we are in favor of having that done as quickly as possible."

Mr. Smith, Surveyor of the Port, says: "We would have to increase our electric light plant to start with, and to do that would require considerable money."

Electric lights are used in every office of the Federal building, but few are needed at night. The capacity of the plant, therefore, would apparently not have to be increased.

The business men of St. Louis would like to see the plans proposed carried out.

The representatives of the Government who are frequently obliged to transact business at their offices at night are heartily seconding the movement.

United States District Attorney William Morsey said: "There is no place visited by more persons in the course of a day than the Federal building.

"During the night," he added, "a large number would patronize the postoffice if lights were placed around the building.

"I have often admired this grand old building and thought what a pity it has become so black and dirty. A good washing certainly would change its appearance. The question should be vigorously pushed.

"The Washington authorities will be anxious to help us, I am sure, if we go about asking assistance in the right way."

WEDDINGS IN SOCIETY

Miss Lillie McDowell to Mr. W. E. Grayson—Miss Gunn to Mr. Ambrose Quinn.

The wedding of Miss Lillie McDowell to Mr. W. E. Grayson takes place this afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, No. 4120 West Belle place. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. Niccolls of the Second Presbyterian Church. The parlor will be beautifully decorated in palms, chrysanthemums, roses and festoons of smilax.

The bride's dress will be of white French lawn over taffeta silk made "en train." The corsage is high, trimmed with lace, a lace bertha, draped prettily around the shoulders and pinned with a handsome scroll of diamonds, this being a gift from the groom.

Mrs. McDowell will wear a gown of black silk crape trimmed in turquoise blue and white applique.

About 50 guests will be in attendance. The young couple will leave on the evening train for the East, where they will pass a few weeks visiting places of interest.

Quinn—Gunn.

Ambrose R. Quinn, night clerk at the Lindell Hotel, and Miss Catherine Gunn of 4587 St. Ferdinand avenue will be married Wednesday evening at the Visitation Church.

The wedding will be simple and the couple will stand at the altar without attendants. A reception will follow the ceremony at the St. Ferdinand avenue address, where Miss Gunn has lived for several years with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson. They will leave Thursday for a short trip out of the city, and will be at home at the Lindell in a week.

MORE SALES AT JOPLIN.

Richardson and Adams Mines Bought by a Colorado Man.

JOPLIN, Mo., Nov. 22.—John D. Cameron yesterday sold the Richardson and Adams mines, on the Missouri Lead and Zinc Company's tract, two miles northwest of Joplin, to J. D. Burkholder of Colorado Springs, Colo., for $25,000. Three zinc mines, known as the Cock Robin, Pelican and Chicago Consolidated, the properties of Thayer & Chandler of Chicago were also sold yesterday to the United Zinc Company for $100,000.

DEATH THE PENALTY FIXED.

Ernest Clevenger Sentenced to Hang in Liberty February Next.

LIBERTY, Mo., Nov. 22.—Judge E. J. Broaddus has passed the death sentence on Ernest Clevenger, who killed George Allen and Della Clevenger during a religious meeting near Missouri City Dec. 8, 1898, is fixed as Friday, Jan. 5, 1900, the date of execution. Clevenger was jealous and meant to kill Allen and his sweetheart, Jennie Clevenger, a cousin. He killed Allen and the bullet meant for Jennie Clevenger struck her younger sister, Della.

The Optician's Advice

Should be sought when the eyes give trouble. Dr. Bond, expert optician at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, examines eyes free of charge and selects the kind of glasses suitable. Steel frames, $1 and up; gold, $5 and up.

WED AT THE PLANTERS'

CAPT. JOHN R. HENRY OF INDIANAPOLIS THE GROOM.

MRS. G. A. WILSON THE BRIDE.

Ceremony Performed by Elder Z. T. Sweeney, Ex-Consul-General at Constantinople.

A wedding in which the most exclusive social set of Indianapolis is deeply interested was celebrated at the Planters' Hotel Wednesday morning. The principals were Capt. John R. Henry of that city and Mrs. G. A. Wilson of Collinsville, Ill.

The ceremony was performed in the bridal chambers of the hotel by Elder Z. T. Sweeney of Columbus, Ind., in the presence of 20 friends, who accompanied Capt. Henry to St. Louis from Indianapolis in a private car. The ritual of the Episcopal Church was used. There were no attendants.

After Capt. and Mrs. Henry had received congratulations from their friends, the party repaired to the private dining room on the parlor floor where an elaborate breakfast was served.

The entire party boarded Capt. Henry's private car at Union Station shortly before 1 o'clock and left over the Vandalia for Indianapolis. They will arrive there Wednesday evening in time to attend a reception at the Bates House, arranged by society in honor of the bridal couple.

Capt. and Mrs. Henry will leave later in the week for a month's trip through the South. Upon their return they will be at home at the Bates House, where Capt. Henry has lived for several years.

The reason given by Capt. Henry for meeting and claiming his bride in St. Louis was one merely of convenience. He said neither he nor his bride desired a public ceremony and that they had arranged for it to take place in this city because it could then be attended by as much simplicity as they wished, without causing any of their friends to feel that they had been slighted.

Capt. Henry is one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of Indianapolis. He is cashier of the State Bank of that city, and a member of the Governor's staff. He is a widower. His bride is a childhood acquaintance and her first husband was one of his particular friends. She has two daughters, both grown and single. Like her husband, she is wealthy.

Elder Z. T. Sweeney, who performed the ceremony, is a minister of the Christian Church, but finds time in the midst of his pastoral duties to play an important part in Indiana politics. The only public office he has ever held was that of Consul General of the United States at Constantinople during President Harrison's administration. He is a lifelong personal friend of Capt. and Mrs. Henry.

Mrs. Henry was in St. Louis several days prior to her marriage, but Capt. Henry and party did not arrive until late Tuesday evening.

The marriage license was issued to them Wednesday, a few minutes before the wedding, by Clerk Augustus Filley, who visited them in their apartments with his seal and the necessary documents.

Among the party which traveled to Indianapolis with Capt. and Mrs. Henry were Dr. C. A. Pritchard, Mrs. Montgomery, Henry Montgomery, E. J. Robinson, the two daughters of Mrs. Henry, C. M. Malott, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Rev. Mr. Branch, Rev. Mr. Sweeney, Dr. Simms, Mrs. Johnson, Louis Johnson, Mrs. Blaisdell and Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin.

WESTERN ARTISTS' PICTURES.

Ninety-Two Selected for Exhibition in the Leading Cities.

The fourth annual meeting of the Society of Western Artists, held at the Museum of Fine Arts, has resulted in the selection of 92 works for the exhibition. The St. Louis artists honored in this selection are: Mr. L. F. Berneker, Mr. Robert P. Bringhurst (the sculptor), Mr. E. M. Campbell, Mr. C. P. Davis, Miss C. F. Maury, Mr. Holmes Smith, Mr. F. C. Sylvester, Mr. F. L. Stoddard, Miss Agnes J. Thompson, Mr. C. G. Waldeck, Mr. Gustave Wolff and Mr. E. H. Wuerpel.

The selections were made out of a total of 260 pictures. The exhibition will be shown in six cities, beginning in St. Louis Friday night and continuing to Dec. 10. The other cities are: Detroit, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Chicago and Cleveland.

ST. TERESA'S PARISH BENEFIT.

Bazaar and Festival to Be Given Early Next Week.

A bazaar and festival will be given the evenings of Nov. 27, 28 and 29, at the school house, corner Grand avenue and North Market street, for the benefit of St. Teresa's Parish building fund.

President M. J. Mulvihill announces an attractive programme of amusements and contests and every admission ticket entitles the holder to an opportunity to win gifts. Two prominent firms have donated two steel ranges, and they are offered as rewards for the most popular lady and gentleman. A well-known tailoring establishment has donated a pair of trousers for the most popular young man.

The bazaar will be presided over by many beautiful young ladies of St. Teresa's Parish. The purpose to which the money is to be donated is a meritorious one.

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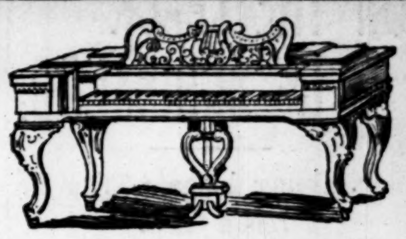

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HAVLIN'S NEW DEAL

HE BECOMES PART OWNER AND MANAGER OF THE GRAND.

HIS HOUSE JOINS SYNDICATE.

Arthur Geserich Takes the Active Management of Grand—Mr. Garen Will Remain at Havlin's.

A deal was closed Tuesday evening, to be effective Dec. 3, between Middleton & Tate and John H. Havlin, whereby the former, lessees of the Grand Opera House, transfer a half itnerest in and the management of that playhouse to Mr. Havlin, and Mr. Havlin gives to Middleton & Tate a half interest in Havlin's Theater, with a bonus of $25,000. Mr. Havlin retains the control of Havlin's Theater, with "Billy" Garen as his manager, and Arthur Geserich takes the management of the Grand.

It will be the effort of Mr. Havlin, he says, to put the Grand on a paying basis, which has not been the case so far this season, and while it will continue as a combination house, it and Havlin's will no longer conflict. Mr. Havlin has an extensive circuit under his control, and by means of it he will have good attractions for both houses all the time. Neither will invade the vaudeville field, which will continue to be the exclusive property of the Columbia, the other Middleton & Tate house.

Some sort of a deal involving the Grand has been hinted at for some time; ever since Middleton & Tate acquired it, in fact. At first, it was said Lawrence Hanley would put in a stock company there, and he did do so far a week, but his illness stopped that plan. It was also said the Castle Square Co. could have been had for the house, but Music Hall secured that attraction. The bringing of high-class stars, who are outside of the "syndicate" to this house was discussed, and contracts have been signed with Mrs. Fiske to play "Becky Sharp" there later in theseason. But all these plans to make the house "go" have been abandoned, and the deal with Mr. Havlin closed.

Regarding the new arrangement, Mr. Havlin says:

"Of course, nearly all of the booking has been done for the present season, but I will try to rearrange matters so that there will be no conflict of the same class of attraction at the two houses in the same week. Next season I will do all the booking with the interest of both houses in view.

"With the exception of the installation of a new manager at the Grand, I do not think there will be any changes among the employes of either of the houses. It is possible there may be some slight change in prices at the Grand, but that will be determined shortly. The change, if made, will be slight—possibly prices may be made a bit higher at that house—but it is more probable there will be a readjustment of prices in the different parts of the house, and the maximum and minimum prices for admission will remain practically the same."

"A rare combination of homeopathy and allopathy is found in 'Orangeine.'" Mr. Charles Frohman says: "It cures."

LIGHTING BILL REJECTED.

House of Delegates Contemplating a Return to Use of Gas.

The city lighting bill was rejected Tuesday night by the House of Delegates and a new bill was introduced providing for the lighting of streets by gas.

The bill which was rejected provided for lighting the streets, alleys and public buildings for a period of 10 years. The committee on public improvements made an adverse report on the bill after a brief session.

The gas bill, introduced by Mr. Hartman by request, provides that the Mound City Gas and Fuel Co., to which the franchise is to be granted, shall furnish gas at prices not to exceed $1 per 1000 feet for illuminating, or 85c per 1000 for fuel, and give the customary 10 per cent reduction for the payment of all bills within 10 days after the first of the month.

The term of the franchise is 30 years, and the proposed company obligates itself to pay to the city as a compensation for the franchise 2 per cent of its gross earnings for the first 10 years; 3 per cent for the next 10 years, and 5 per cent during the remainder of the franchise. It also provides that the city shall have the right to acquire the property of the company at the expiration of the term of the franchise, at a price to be fixed by an arbitration committee.

The committee on public improvements is said to have objected to the bill on the ground that the term of franchise was too long, and that it did not desire to return to the method of lighting streets by gas.

Lawyers' offices for rent in the Mermod & Jaccard building, Broadway and Locust, $17.50 per month and upwards. Apply to McNair & Harris, room 501, in the building.

Shall one say that Bob Acres was played by Jefferson Tuesday night or that Jefferson played Bob Acres? Both—for only by this subtile distinction may the presentation of "The Rivals" at the Olympic be covered.

There is only one Bob Acres. Sheridan wrote the part, but in all the history of the stage only the name of Jefferson is heard when it is spoken of. He has done it so often, and for so long, that when one hears another speak of this veteran actor one's mind reverts without consciousness to the dear, lovable, chicken-hearted "devil of a fellow," as Jefferson portrays him. So that, when one goes to see this master's interpretation of a master's creation, it seems like looking at the choicest portrait in a gallery of the great.

Mr. Jefferson's Bob differed not a whit Tuesday night from the portrayal that has been so familiar for many years. It was just as fascinating, just as natural. It was just as artistic and as scholarly. It was perfect.

"The Rivals" affords opportunity for study of the Jefferson company that is not found in "Rip." Of the players surrounding the star the palm for work in this play must go to Miss Elsie Leslie and Mr. Verner Clarges. No better Sir Anthony than Mr. Clarges could be imagined; in the quarrel scene with his son he is perfect. Miss Leslie makes a Lydia Languish that carries one back to the days of that wonderful "all-star" company when Sir Lucius was played by Florence, Mrs. Malaprop by dear old Mrs. Drew, and Lydia by Viola Allen. Miss Leslie is as dainty as a Watteau fan and as sweet as the shepherdess on it.

The weakest member of the cast was Joseph Jefferson, Jr., who was the Sir Lucius O'Trigger. He did not shadow the part even. He and Boyd Putnam should change places, giving him the Captain Absolute; it would add vastly to the ensemble. Miss Paget as Mrs. Malaprop was hampered by the memories of Mrs. Drew, but her interpretation, outside the inability to rise to the Drew heights, was acceptable.

"The Rivals" will be repeated Thursday and Saturday nights. Wednesday and at the Saturday matinee "Rip Van Winkle" will be repeated. Friday night the bill will be "Cricket on the Hearth" and "Lend Me Five Shillings."

A new soprano and a new tenor made the second presentation of "Martha" by the Castle Square company Tuesday night one of note. Miss Alma Powell sang the title role and Mr. Rhys Thomas took the part of Lionel, and both made favorable impressions. Miss Powell has a voice of wide range, and is particularly good on the high notes. The "Last Rose of Summer" song earned for her a well-deserved encore. Mr. Thomas established himself as a favorite from the first, and it is to be hoped that his fine tenor voice will be heard in Music Hall for weeks to come.

Miss Linck took the part of Nancy and was delightful. Mr. Casavant was good as Plunkett and the chorus did some of its best work, securing a triple encore at the end of the fourth act.

The cast of the opening night will be heard Wednesday afternoon and that of Tuesday night at the Wednesday night performance.

Thanksgiving Number.

Among other good things in next Sunday's Post-Dispatch, the Thanksgiving number, will include a hymn of thanksgiving composed and written expressly for the Thanksgiving number of the Post-Dispatch by Ira D. Sankey and Fanny J. Crosby.

STEAMSHIP RECORD BROKEN.

Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse Again Makes Best Time From Cherbourg.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which arrived here yesterday, made the run from Cherbourg breakwater in five days, 17 hours and 27 minutes. This is 11 minutes less than the best previous record from Cherbourg, which was held by the same steamer.

MERCHANT IN HARD LINES.

He Is Robbed in a Strange City and Forced Into Failure.

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 22.—G. A. Myers, a merchant of Fredonia, came to this place to buy goods Monday night and was robbed of $850. Creditors who heard of his misfortune yesterday forced him to make an assignment.

Lace Maker Bankrupt.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—Adolph Hoffstadt, formerly a lace manufacturer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, $143,515.

Otto Rosenheim,

Manufacturer's agent, is now located in a handsome office, room 706 Mermod & Jaccard building, Broadway and Locust st.

BRIEF NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Items of Interest Condensed for the Convenience of Busy Readers of the Post-Dispatch.

Broadway Merchants.—The South Broadway Merchants' Association held a meeting Tuesday night. Only business of a routine nature was transacted.

Annual Ball.—The Team Owners' Association held its regular meeting Tuesday night. Arrangements are being made for the annual ball, to be given Dec. 2.

Revival.—The special revival held at the Holiness Mission by W. H. Holmes of Iowa will be conducted by him at the Vanguard Chapel, 2343 Randolph street, assisted by J. F. Beeson of Kansas.

Acquitted.—Mrs. T. P. O'Gorman of 2528 Whittier street states that she was tried before a jury in Judge Hanley's court and acquitted on the charge of disturbing the peace of Lena Bremser of 2524 Whittier street.

Indiana Society Banquet.—The Indiana Society of St. Louis will give a banquet at the Planters' Hotel, Dec. 11. Several prominent speakers will be present, of whom ex-Congressman Henry U. Johnson will be one.

Mr. Bartholdt's Lecture.—Congressman Richard Bartholdt, from the Tenth district, will lecture Wednesday evening before the Turner societies of St. Louis at Concordia Turner Hall, Thirteenth and Arsenal streets.

Federal Census.—A meeting of the joint committee on census has been called by President C. P. Walbridge, to be held Thursday at 2 o'clock. The question of assisting the sunpervisor of census next year will be considered.

Buried.—The funeral of the late William E. McPherson was held Wednesday at the residence of William M. McPherson, Jr., 5159 Delmar boulevard. Deceased was 53 years of age and belonged to one of the most prominent families in St. Louis.

Men's Club.—The regular montly meeting of the Men's Club of the Second Presbyterian Church was held in the church chapel Tuesday night. Mr. John A. Laird and Mr. C. M. Alexander delivered addresses on conditions in Africa.

Dismissed.—Judge Adams in the United States District Court Tuesday dismissed the case of the United States against L. Menecke, a North St. Louis grocer, charged with selling oleomargarine in unstamped packages. The indictment was faulty.

Heavily Fined.—Charles C. and Jos. A. Bishop were fined $500 each and costs in the United States District Court Tesday for using the mails to defraud. They advertised for salesmen and then charged $14 for furnishing an outfit, which the salesmen were required to purchase.

Milk and Typhoid.—Dr. Atkinson read a paper Tuesday night before the Democratic Physicians' Club on "Pure Milk and Its Relation to Epidemics." The typhoid fever was also discussed, the doctors generally agreeing that the chief cause was the collection of vegetable matter in the sewers.

Boy Punished.—Charles Moran, an errand boy, aged 12 years, in the employ of B. Nugent & Bros. Dry Goods Co., was detained in the holdover at Four Courts Tuesday night at the request of his employers. Moran failed to turn in $2.50 which he had collected and reported to his employers that he had been robbed.

A Hallelujah Wedding.—Brigadier Stillwell, the chief officer of the Salvation Army in this State, will conduct a hallelujah wedding at No. 1 Hall, 1413 Franklin avenue, Friday, Nov. 24, at 8 p. m. The usual monthly united holiness meeting will be held in the same hall at 3 p. m. Friday, led by the brigadier and Mrs. Stillwell and a staff of visiting officers.

Elected Officers.—The Congregational Club has elected the following officers: President, Rev. William M. Jones; vice-president, Clinton Rowell and Rev. C. H. Patton; secretary, J. H. Kentnor; treasurer, D. R. Haynes; auditor, C. O. Twining; executive committee, Rev. C. L. Kloss, W. F. Obear and Dr. A. J. Steele.

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MORE TIME FOR AUTOMATICS.

Railroads Ask Delay in Placing the New Car Couplers.

Railroad companies have asked for another extension of time in placing in general use the automatic coupler. The application will be heard Dec. 6. Walker V. Powell of St. Louis, president of the Order of Railway Telegraphers of North America, was notified Tuesday of this latest move by the railroads. It is believed the request of the railroads will be stubbornly fought by the various railroad brotherhoods.

Double-Breasted Waistcoats

The latest thing is the Double-Breasted Waistcoat. This is a fancy a little ahead of the ordinary jobbers. You will find it only among the manufacturers at first hand. We have it.

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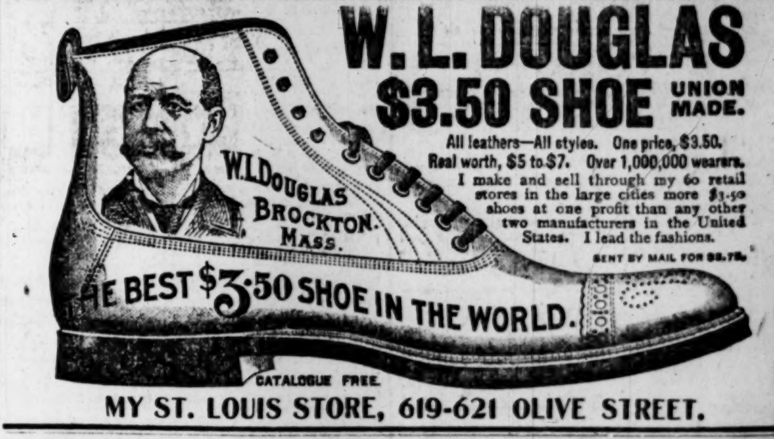

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Recorders of Deeds Have No Power to Administer Certain Oaths.

Judge Hirzel of the Circuit Court at Clayton has decided that Recorders cannot administer oaths. The decision was made in the case of the State against Frederick Hermann and operates against the practice of the Recorders of Deeds in counties of the State and the marriage license clerks in the city in requiring the would-be bride and groom to swear that they are of lawful age.

In the case in question Frederick Hermann and Franceska Lipski were arrested on the charge of making a false oath as to their ages, on complaint made by the girl's parents. Judge Hirzel held that the Recorder of Deeds had no right to administer such an oath, and hence the defendants could not be bound by it.

HE SAYS HE WAS ASSAULTED.

William Howard Suffering from a Severe Scalp Wound.

William Howard, a painter, living at Sixth and Wash streets, is at the City Hospital suffering from a severe scalp wound.

He was found unconscious Tuesday night near the Iron Mountain Railroad tracks in Kirkwood. The authorities at first believed he had been struck by a train, but Howard says he was assaulted and robbed by highwaymen. He was on his way to the city at the time. Dr. Nietert says he will recover.

Suicide.—Elsie Brown, despondent over the life she was leading, committed suicide at 2129 Chestnut street by taking morphine.

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